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ESTATE OF
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the estate of the above-mentioned deceased, late of House 8, Lane 419, Yu Yuen Road, are requested to file same with the undersigned on or before the 15th day of November 1939 AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons indebeted to the said Estate are hereby required to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

ELIZABETH L. WALLER,
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House 8, Lane 419,
Yu Yuen Road, Shanghai.
11716

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By Order,
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Shanghai, October 7, 1939.
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By Order of the Board of Directors,
F. X. GUTIERREZ,
Secretary.
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ENTENTE TENNIS CLUB

Owing to lack of support, the Supper-dance scheduled to be held this evening has been cancelled. Prize winners are requested to communicate with the undersigned for collection of their trophies.

B. SPIEGLER,
Hon. Secretary.
-5250

SHANGHAI LAWN BOWLS CLUB

The Official Closing Day will be held on Sunday, October 8, commencing at 9.45 a.m. There will be a competition for ladies at 2. p.m. It is hoped that there will be a large turn out of members and their ladies.

J. HENRY.
Hon. Secretary.
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OCTOBER

7 K.D.S. Tag Day
7 Lester Chinese Hospital, Bazaar and Fun Fair, Cathedral Girls' School, 2.30
7 Dinner Dance, Floorshow, C.S.F., 8.30
7 A.D.C. Club Evening. Lyc. 9.15. p.m.
7 Betar Autumn Dance, A.W.C.
7 Keelung Incident (1936)

Coming Events

OCTOBER

11 S'hai. Tenants Association General Meeting, Union Church Hall, 5.30
11 Dinner Dance, Floorshow, C.S.F., 8.30
12 Royal Asiatic Society Meeting, 5.30
12 Jewish Music, A.W.C., 9
12 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.15
12 'Eva' by Franz Lehar, Russian Light Opera, Lyceum, 9
12 Limbless Fund, R. Sale, U.C. Hall, 9.30
14 Cath. Boys' School, H. Lester End't., opening Sports Ground & Pavilion. Boys *v.* Parents' cricket match, 2
14 'Eva' by F. Lehar, L. Op., Lyc., 9
15 'Eva' by F. Lehar, L. Op., Lyc., 9
16 Engineering Society meeting, 5.45
17 A.W.C., Mrs. Sherriff reviews 'San Kuo,' 4.45
17 A.D.C. 'Laughter in Court', Lyc. 9.15
18 A.D.C. 'Laughter in Court', Lyc. 9.15 in aid of B.W.A. War Work Fund
19 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.15
19 A.D.C. 'Laughter in Court', Lyc. 9.15
20 Foreign Y Bridge-Mahjongg in aid of Polish War Relief Work, 2-7
20 A.D.C. 'Laughter in Court', Lyc. 9.15
21 Joint Utilities Sports, Shanghai American School, 1.30
21 A.D.C. 'Laughter in Court', Lyc. 9.15
23 Cradle Bridge/Mahjongg, For. Y. 3
24 A.W.C., Bridge and Mahjongg, 3
25 A.W.C. Chamber Musi-Trio, 9
26 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.15
26 B.W.A. Musical & Dramatic Concert, 5.15
26 Royal Asiatic Society Meeting, 5.30
31 A.W.C., Miss Shipper on 'Charm', 4.45

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The following is the circulation statement certified by the Company's auditors for September, 1939.

"The daily average circulation of the 'North-China Daily News,' morning edition, for the month of September 1939, was ten thousand nine hundred and forty-four copies, exclusive of 'frees' and vouchers."

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Photographs of the above and others which have appeared in the "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" and Sunday PICTORIAL SECTION are now on view at Watson's, 71 Nanking Road, where prints may be obtained within a few hours.

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Firms whose names do not appear in the current issue are invited to send in their particulars without delay.

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(Sundays: 12.45 and 9 p.m. only)

The "North-China Daily News" is now supplementing its service of daily news broadcasts by the addition of two broadcasts in Chinese. These will be given over Station XMHD at 1.30 p.m., and 9.15 p.m. daily.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Correspondence for this column should be addressed to the Editor, North-China Daily News Office, 17 The Bund, Shanghai, and to ensure secrecy, marked "Letters to the Editor"

Essay in Proverbs:

What Il Duce Should Do

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—Nature rewards all our virtues and punishes all our sins, that is why there is an old saying, "From penance to throne, and throne to hell." The latter part of the old saying comes out true when the rulers forget their duties, think themselves to be superhuman beings, the deputies of Almighty God, sent on earth by Him only to rule, while the people are to obey their orders implicitly, whether right or wrong; when they are thoroughly sold to tyranny, thoroughly cruel, and relentless in persecuting the unhappy. But as the punishments of nature, though sharp and inevitable, are sometimes delayed so long that the offender does not realize that the punishment is the result of the trespassing of natural law, it is necessary that reformative, deterrent and retributory punishments should be meted out to the offender. This is what the democracies are bent upon doing now.

Necessity has no law; that is why Herr Hitler bowed down before M. Stalin, whom he has been considering a man of diametrically opposite political ideologies. But the choice does not seem to be a nice and wise one, as he gained one at the cost of two, and one who may not be depended upon. The only thing he wanted the democracies to announce was, "Very well, Hitler, do anything you like with a high hand, take the law in your hands, turn with the tide, repeat the same barbarous tactics *ad nauseam*, we will not interfere." But as the democracies knew that man proposes and God disposes, that what are the spiritual sins to them are the cardinal virtues to the self-willed dictator, i.e. Herr Hitler, that he was bidding welcome to one and adieu to another, that one who grasps at too much will lose all, that with legs in two boats one is sure to be drowned, that the pitcher goes to the well often but breaks at last, that an open door will tempt a saint, not to speak of Herr Hitler, that give him an inch and he will take an ell, so they, with the words, "Constant dropping wears the stone at last, there is no play upon words now and we mean business," took up the challenge. Not given to mincing matters, they had put their meaning beyond doubt, that anyone who puts his faith in Hitler's word now must be a perfect moon-calf, to gain a point he would swear ten thousand false oaths. As he could only be dissuaded from becoming unreasonable by force, so war was inevitable.

Now what is happening is known to the world at large. Free nations are being forcibly brought under servitude. Their lands are being partitioned. Civilians are being bombed and massacred. Cattle are being requisitioned. Money and materials are being used like water. Youths, the flower of the nations, in the prime of their lives, are being sacrificed. All of this is going on for the obstinacy of one man, who is wont to have his own way regardless of the consequences. Many of the hearts that throbbed so gaily have ceased to beat, and are lying at the bottom of the sea, unfathomed deep, entombed in the sullen submarines, unseen, unknown. Nobody knows for what friends and relatives he will have to mourn. All these sufferings will continue, until, unless, somebody impresses upon Herr Hitler that the thought of dominating the world is nothing but to build castles in the air, Signor Benito Mussolini will be the best for this purpose. He is a man of mark, as he at once guessed that the pledges he had given were broken by the Fuehrer himself, that a man is known by the company he keeps, that it is better to be alone than in bad company, that it is not wise to confide in a man who has deceived him once, that an unknown is better than an ill-known, that a bad way has a bad end—so he proclaimed his neutrality for the time being—may it be for ever.

For humanity's sake I would appeal to Il Duce to impress on Herr Hitler that there is many a slip between the cup and the lip, that it is never too late to mend, that the democracies are embarked in one boat, engaged in the same enterprise, and they are to sink or swim together—while he and his "Comrade" are used to harp their own tunes and to play their own games, but a wise man changes his mind, but a fool never.

Pride, like a wild horse, overthrows its rider, he should very kindly explain to Herr Hitler in the clearest way. He should make Herr Hitler aware that the spirits of those who take the side of right are invincible, and they mind shots no more than peas. He should tell Herr Hitler that it is not wise for him to foul his own nest. It will be for his own welfare and that of the Reich, if he (Hitler) makes room for a sounder man to serve the State—but habit becomes second nature.

I Have Written What
I Think Right Others
May Think Differently.

Shanghai, Oct. 6.

Radio Interference:

A Local Offender

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—With reference to radio interference in the news from London and Treasure Island by a Japanese station which is operating on a wave length which blankets these two stations, it is, to say the least, very annoying, but there is another station operating in Shanghai which causes interference not only on the two stations mentioned, but over the whole of the short wave band, and often on the broadcast band as well His call sign is XQ8RB and when he is operating, it is impossible at times to tune in any station without XQ8RB coming through like a foghorn and spoiling reception completely. Last evening he was calling up "Chuck" in Manila, and it was impossible to hear any station that was on the air, without XQ8RB coming through and drowning everything.

This station is operating on the 14 M. band, and is of such volume, at times, as to come through as if someone was blowing a foghorn. It is time something was done by the owner of this station to try and give others a chance to hear the news, especially during these critical times, and if this should meet the eye of the operator of station XQ8BR I hope he will take some steps to discontinue the annoyance he is causing to other radio fans especially during the periods of news broadcasts.

Disgusted.

Shanghai Oct. 6.

Cost of Living:

Reader Wants a Book

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—A friend has told me of a book he once read concerning the cost of living in many different countries, and describing living conditions, prices, etc., on many little-known but well populated islands. Unfortunately he does not remember the names of the book or author, and I shall be grateful to any of your readers who can give me the information.

Jan Stewer.

Shanghai Oct. 5.

BY SAPAJOU

Making A Thorough Job of It

Contraband Base Described

Many Neutral Ships Call Voluntarily at Weymouth for Control

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 6.

Secrets of Great Britain's economic warfare against Germany were revealed to Reuter's representative who visited the Contraband Control Base at Weymouth Bay yesterday.

This is a voluntary base, and to date 74 ships, with merchandise totalling 513,000 tons destined for neutral and "enemy" ports, have called, and 99,300 tons of goods have been detained for prize court proceedings.

The headquarters of the base is installed in a small hotel, outside which the sign "grills" is still displayed.

The organization is run by 35 officers and 80 men, mostly retired naval officers and members of the Royal Naval Reserve. They inspect ships and flash details to the Ministry of Economic Warfare, which decides whether to allow them to proceed or to detain part or the whole cargo. If detention is decided, an armed escort is sent aboard to take the ship to port for unloading. Ships may be detained at Weymouth from a few hours to a fortnight in a few difficult cases, but every effort is made to release them as quickly as possible.

Neutral Skippers Praised

A Danish ship, which Reuter's Correspondent boarded with several officers, was released in five hours—which is a record.

Countries whose vessels have called at Weymouth include Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Belgium, Holland, America, Greece, Portugal and Yugoslavia. There have been none from Italy and Spain.

Contraband officers paid a tribute to neutral skippers, who, they said, had been "extraordinarily helpful and open."

Ships failing to call at Weymouth are taken by warships to the compulsory base in the Downs off Ramsgate. The third base is at Kirkwall, in the Orkney Islands. These spread a net which is effectively preventing ships from entering the North Sea with contraband.—Reuter.

War-Time Soviet Trade With Britain

Russia Wants the Use of Scandinavian Ships

Stockholm, Oct. 6.

Russia has arranged to rent Norwegian ships to be used in carrying on her war-time trade with Great Britain and has opened negotiations for similar agreements with Sweden and Denmark, it was learned here yesterday.

It was understood that Russia is dealing with the Scandinavian countries for the purpose of carrying on trade with the Allies through sub-Arctic waters in order to avoid the German blockade of the Baltic.

Denmark and Sweden have reserved their decisions, it was said. The Soviet, however, has requested a quick answer.—United Press.

Train Derailed

Greensboro, N.C., Oct. 5.

Nine cars of the Crescent Limited Southern Railway, New Orleans to New York passenger train, were derailed eight miles north of here on Tuesday night but none of the passengers or train crew was injured beyond bruises, railway officials said today.—United Press.

Reich May Revoke Air Neutrality

Three Conditions Laid Down For Belgium and Holland

Berlin, Oct. 5.

Although reaffirming the Reich's intention to respect the neutrality of Belgium and Holland, official quarters here were reserved regarding aerial neutrality.

Three eventualities may compel Germany to declare herself no more bound by her aerial neutrality undertakings, they said. These are: 1. Flights over the neutral states by belligerent planes. 2. Inability to prevent these flights even if opposed to them owing to insufficient material. 3. Inability to prevent these flights even with modern material.—Havas.

Japan Still Recognizes Polish Government

Notified of New Regime's Establishment

Tokyo, Oct. 6.

Japan has not withdrawn its recognition of the Polish Government, which is now established in France, the Foreign Office spokesman said yesterday.

Official notification was understood to have been made to the Japanese Government regarding the establishment of the new Polish régime.

Questioned on the subject, the Foreign Office spokesman said that the Japanese Government had reached no decision on the matter, but was following the developments in the situation.

This, however, does not mean the withdrawal of recognition from the Polish Government," he said. "Therefore, the Polish Ambassador, M. Thaddeus de Romer, will be recognized as the diplomatic representative of Poland in Tokyo."—Domei.

Turkish General Visits British C.-in-C.

London, Oct. 6.

General Orbay, head of the Turkish military mission, called on General Sir Edmund Ironside, Commander-in-Chief of the Home Forces, at the War Office yesterday. The presence of the Turkish delegation is reported to be connected with military, financial and economic problems.—Reuter.

Czech Army in France To Be Formed

Paris, Oct. 6.

An agreement on the constitution of a Czech Army in France to fight against the Reich has been signed by Premier Edouard Daladier and Dr. Stefan Osusky, Minister to France of former Czechoslovakia, it was learned yesterday.—Havas.

Seventy Years Ago

From the "North-China Daily News," of October 7, 1869

A very fully attended meeting was held yesterday afternoon, at the British Consulate, to receive the report of the committee appointed, in August last, to draw up a programme for the entertainment of Prince Alfred. It was agreed that an address to H. R. H. and a reception shall occupy the first day of his stay, and a performance by the A. D. C., in the evening. On the second morning a cricket match is projected, with a *dejeuner* on the ground and in the evening the Concordia Club purpose inviting H. R. H. to a theatrical and musical entertainment. The third day, if he can be persuaded to stay so long, he will no doubt be glad to have to himself and in the evening he is to be invited to a ball, to be given in his honour and that of Admiral Keppel. A project for illuminating the Bund on that evening, was also mooted.

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Holy Trinity Cathedral.—October 8.—18 Sunday After Trinity.—Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 8 a.m. Holy Communion (Young People's Fellowship) 8.40 a.m. Mattins and Sermon. 10.50 a.m. Psalm: 67. Lessons: Jeremiah 26; Luke 12, 1-34. Noble in B Minor. Anthem: "If we believe." (Goss) Hymns: 657, 298, 176. Preacher: The Dean (Mattins at 10.30 a.m. will be broadcast from Cathedral) Over XMHA., 760 kc., 394. 6m.). Children's Service. 10.30 a.m. Sunday Schools. 3 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. 6 p.m. Psalm: 111. Lessons: Jeremiah 30, 1-3, 10-22; John 13. Hymns: 31, 242, 299, 21. Preacher: Rev. P. C. Matthews, M.A. Bubbling Well Chapel: 6. p.m. Rev. F. A. Skinner.

St. John's Pro-Cathedral, Jessfield.—Morning Prayer in English at 10.30 a.m. Speaker: Mr. Wm. Z. L. Sung, M. A. Evening Prayer in English at six o'clock. Preacher: Rev. F. L. Hawks Pott, D.D.

Union Church (International and Interdenominational), 107 Soochow Road).—Officiating Minister: Rev. C. Wilfred Allan.—10.45, Morning Worship. Preacher, Rev. E. S. Box, of the London Mission, Tientsin; 10.45, Children's Morning Service in the Church Hall; 3, Western District Sunday School. 1 Great Western Road.—Tuesday, 7.30, Opening Meeting of Tuesday Evening Club. Supper at 8, followed by Business Meeting and a talk by Mr. James Macbeth on "A Few Outstanding Characteristics of the Victorian Era." Friday, 5.30, Choir rehearsal.

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First Church of Christ, Scientist, Shanghai 1647 Avenue Road. Sunday Service 11 a.m. Subject: "Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" Sunday School 9.45 a.m. Testimonial **Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. Reading Room at the Church open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, from 10.30** a.m. to 6.30 p.m. Wednesday from 10.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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Endeavourers Church.—Morning service will be held at The Hut, 491 Yu Yuen Road at 10 a.m. The speaker will be Rev. J. T. Williams. Mid-week prayer meeting will be he held on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m. in room 305, Missions Building, 169 Yuen Ming Yuen Road.

Shanghai Free Christian Church.—(Evangelical) 681 Hart Road.—The Services on Sunday will be conducted as follows:—Morning at 11 o'clock by Mr. E. A. Kohfield. Sunday School at 3 p.m. Young Ladies' Bible Class at 4.45 p.m. Evening at 6 o'clock by Mr. A. W. Crane. Services during the week:—Monday at 8 p.m. Young People's Meeting. Thursday afternoon at 5.45 Prayer Meeting.

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Morning Brightly Breaks Your Fast

The grown man or woman can choose their own breakfast and make it light or solid just as circumstances require or their fancy suggests. The growing boy or girl, however, is something of a problem. The serious business of passing examinations and the change from school to industrial or business life in themselves make unusual demands on the reserves of energy. The physical health should be carefully watched, and in this respect diet is as important as exercise in the open air and regular hours of sleep.

The diet of the growing boy and girl is necessarily rather an expensive one. Some children develop enormous appetites and may, indeed, eat more than a full-grown man. As all authorities insist that these young people need at least as much as a man (some say more), no restriction should be placed on the amount of food eaten, though the kind of food taken needs careful supervision.

Breakfast should be a solid one of the old-fashioned kind, starting with porridge in winter or a light cereal in warmer weather, with plenty of milk, as three quarters of a pint of milk should be taken in the day. Then should follow a protein dish, which need not always be bacon and egg. Try fish cakes, grilled herrings, cold ham, sausage and tomatoes, liver and bacon, or one of the many egg dishes which are not boiled or poached.

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All Agree About Milk

The habit of drinking milk in generous quantities is a tremendous factor in personal health, since nothing else is so near a complete and perfect food. Not only does the regular consumption of milk promote physical fitness and well-being; it also increases markedly the bodily powers of resistance to infection and disease. For those who only care for a light breakfast a glass of milk is ideal. Only one piece of advice is necessary—namely that "raw" milk is best taken through a straw, to ensure that it shall be sipped slowly. In that way it is most easily and quickly digested.

There are, of course, many foods that go naturally with milk, the combination not only making a pleasant meal, but providing also that balance of qualities so essential to a well chosen breakfast. High on the list of such foods comes prepared wheat, which has earned wide appreciation of its value in promoting general fitness among both young and old.

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Taken with milk at breakfast, a good prepared wheat is so nourishing that it sustains one in work or play throughout the morning. To make use as much as possible of dishes involving the presence of milk is, indeed, indicative of a wise choice in food.

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"Coffee Makes A Politician Wise"

The Marquess of Crewe, Leader of the Liberal Peers in the House of Lords, while debating the second reading of the Milk Industry (No. 2) Bill recently, put forward the strange idea (possibly judging others by himself) that many people regarded milk as unpalatable. "It would be a great help if greater consumption of milk in coffee could be encouraged," he said. Of course the United Kingdom is not exactly famed as a whole for its talent in coffee-making, and maybe the marrying of milk to English-made coffee might not have the favourable effect on the former's reputation that the noble Marquess looked for. Indeed much English-made coffee might well call forth the cry attributed to Mark Twain in addressing a steward on board ship: "If this is coffee, bring me tea; if it is tea, bring me coffee."

Yet coffee well made is one of the most magnificent of drinks and its aroma the true harbinger of breakfast at its best. There was once an attempt to bring coffee under the prohibition of the Church, from which it was saved by a Pope who knew a good thing when he tasted it. Coffee was brought to Europe from the Near East by Venetian traders, and a movement rose among the monastic orders for the suppression of this drink of infidels. A deputation waited on Pope Clement VIII, and after hearing their case he asked for a sample of the new beverage to be brought to him. He sniffed, he tasted, and then he drained the cup. It was a right good Christian drink, he declared, and solemnly gave it his blessing.

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"Thank God For Tea!"

Every good Tibetan drinks fifty or sixty cups of tea every day of his life. The leaves are boiled for several hours, then the infusion is poured into a section of hollow bamboo, where it is churned up with a plunger, together with a handful of salt, a pinch of soda, and a good lump of butter—usually rancid. The result is a purplish liquid of unusual taste for tea, but as soap excellent—so they say.

The Tibetan cup of tea is most distinctly not ours. But awed mental contemplation of it does away with one fallacy, that tea is bad for the nerves! Who ever heard of a Tibetan who suffered from nerves? And anyhow the tannin in tea is always promptly and effectively neutralized by the addition of milk. Even without such neutralization tannin serves a useful physiological purpose, as it stimulates gastric secretion, which in turn, through its acidity, counteracts the effects of the tannin upon any food that is ingested.

Let us then pour out our nice cups of tea without stint—having first been careful to command that it be made immediately after the water reaches boiling point and allowed to brew for six minutes before it is poured.

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It's An Ill Wind——

It is rather astonishing that the first sale of Indian tea in London only celebrated its centenary in January of this year. Up to the second decade of last century tea came exclusively from China, and the trade in it, already enormous, was a Chinese monopoly. Tea had been growing wild in India for centuries before any white man knew it and when it was discovered it was thought that, being wild tea, it could not be of a quality to compete with the China tea. But in Assam the attempt was made to cultivate seeds and plants smuggled in from China.

The spur to this effort was the crisis caused by the expiry of the treaty with China, and the threat of the Chinese Government to close their ports to British ships. This would have been a severe blow to the East India Company.

But the experiment with the smuggled seeds and plants failed. The Chinese had a habit of boiling the seeds before parting with them, thus preventing their germination. Anyhow, the climate and soil of India was unfavourable. The experiment was a waste of time.

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Bread is almost a perfect food when it is used with an admixture of fat—as in buttered rolls, toast, and other breakfast joys. It contains protein, carbohydrate, salts, water, inorganic and organic salts and even a small amount of fat. What on earth could do more?

The bread addict has also been set free to stretch out for the white or brown bread just as he pleases—for in a grave monograph "On the Technology of Bread-Making" giving exhaustive information on every detail connected with bread it is stated that navvies, Durham colliers, and the men of the Navy, "all disciples of hard work," express in no uncertain tone their preference for white bread. They find it a better and more sustaining food than the browner varieties.

Yet lovers of brown bread will not waver—it contains the wheat germ, a better source of certain vitamins (notably B1 and E) and of minerals. Also it has that marvellous nutty flavour plus an appealing beauty which no blonde bread can attain to. Anyhow, as the experts themselves are divided over the value of blonde v. brunette the breakfaster may eat from whichever basket he pleases, and wave away all protests with a quotation from the "Technology of Bread-Making."

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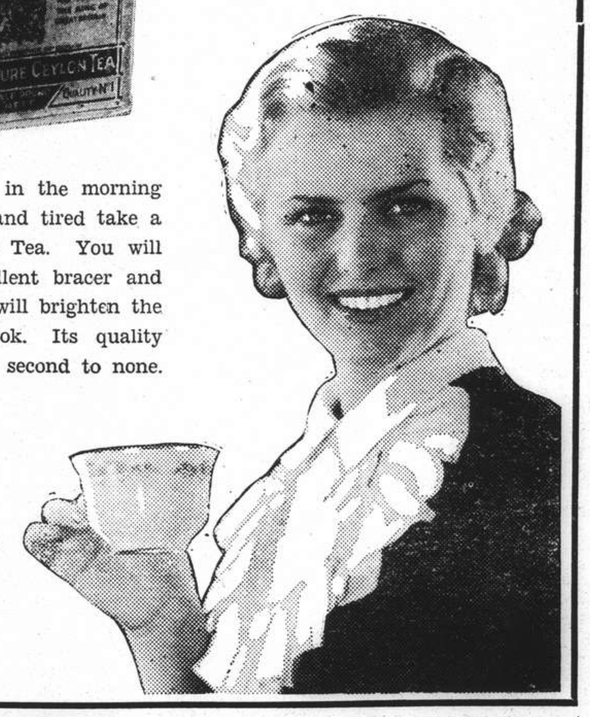

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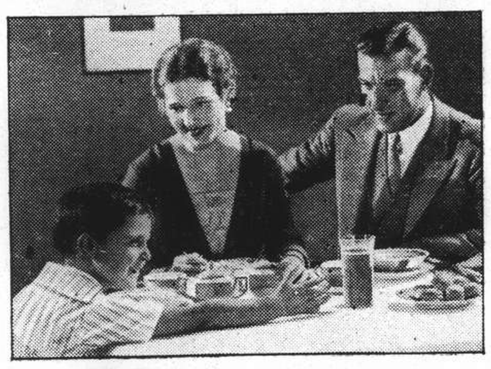

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Pearson Pitches Yankees to Another Victory

Limits Reds to Two Little Singles and No Runs To Win Second World Series Game 4-0

Yankee Stadium, New York, Oct. 5.

MISSING a no hit game by the heart-halting margin of two little singles, Monte Pearson today turned in one of the great baseball performances of all time, pitching the Yankees to a 4-0 victory in the second game of the world series. Throughout the afternoon the Reds swung futilely at Pearson's curves. When they began to crowd the plate he drove them back with a fast ball that sizzled like bacon on fire.

Cool as a November morning, Pearson had a no hit game until the seventh inning, when Ernie Lombardi singled to right centre. Pearson quickly suppressed the threat. In the ninth, Bill Werber singled with two men out, but again Pearson quickly put out the last spark of Cincinnatian hopes. Linus Frey grounded to Frank Crosetti and Werber was thrown out.

It was a hot afternoon for Bucky Walters. In the third inning the New Yorkers began reaching him for hits and runs. He dug in and opened the third inning by doubling to the left. Pearson made a sacrifice bunt. Walters made Crosetti ground out, but the Babe Dahlgren scored. Then the Yankee pounder exploded. Red Rolfe singled to the right and Charlie Keller, zooming to the left, scoring Rolfe. The Reds had the leaning and screaming jitters. Joe DiMaggio tapped a slow one that rolled past third and was safe at first base, while Keller went to third. Bill Dickey, yesterday's hero, then singled toward the first base scoring Keller. Then Selkirk grounded out.

Dahlgren Homers

Those runs would have been good enough but the party was too good for Dahlgren to pass up. He dug in and blasted a homer to the left stands in the fourth.

The Reds needed for home fighting an apparently hopeless cause. Their two best pitchers have been beaten.

Rookie Junior Thompson is scheduled to face the world champions in the third game Saturday.

Yesterday's performance made Dahlgren the best batter of the series thus far with three hits in six trips to the plate for an average of .500. Next best was Keller, who earned the right-field spot over Tom Ronzich last season. Keller has three hits in seven trips to the plate, for an average of .429.

All the Yankee players excluding Pearson have made at least one hit in the series thus far. Of the Cincinnati Regulars, excluding the pitchers, Linus Frey, Eval Goodman and Wally Berger are still hitless.

Errorless Ball

Both teams continued to play errorless baseball yesterday. Dahlgren leads in total bases hit with eight. Dahlgren and Dickey are tied for the lead in runs batted-in with two each.

Walters struck out five batters yesterday walked none and left three runners on the bases. Pearson struck out eight, walked one and left two Reds stranded.

World Series Box Score

CINCINNATI

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Werber, 3b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Frey, 2b	3	0	0	2	2	0
Goodman, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
McCormick, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Lombardi, c	3	0	1	5	1	0
Craft, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Berger, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Myers, ss	3	0	0	1	0	0
Walters, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Derringer*	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ruszkiewicz†	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gamble	1	0	0	0	0	0
	28	0	2	20	8	0

*—Ran for Lombardi in eighth.
†—Batted for Walters in ninth.

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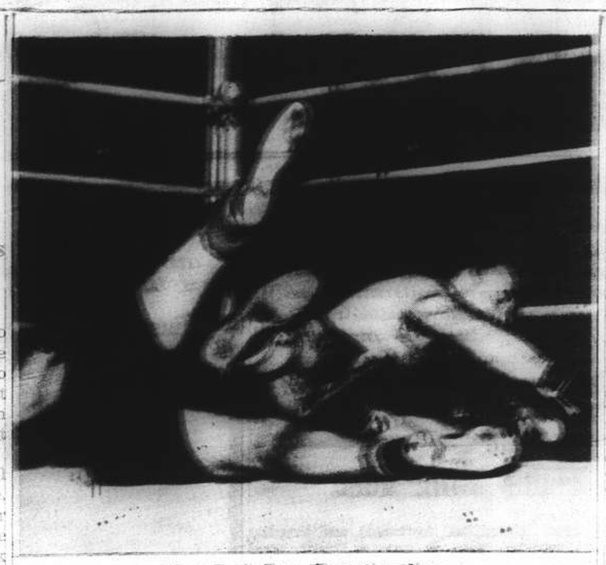
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Crosetti, ss	4	0	1	1	2	0
Rolfe, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Keller, rf	4	1	2	4	0	0
DiMaggio, cf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Dickey, c	3	0	1	8	1	0
Selkirk, lf	3	1	1	3	0	0
Gordon, 2b	3	0	1	1	3	0
Dahlgren, 1b	3	2	2	8	1	0
Pearson, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
	31	4	11	27	9	0

Runs batted in—Crosetti, Keller, Dickey and Dahlgren.
Doubles—Dahlgren and Keller.
Homers—Dahlgren.
Sacrifice—Pearson.
Died Abused Base—Cincinnati 3, New York 3.
Walks—Pearson 1.
Fanned—Walters 5, Pearson 4.
Double Plays—Dickey and Crosetti; Walters, Myers and McCormick.—United Press.



"Two-Gun" Tony Threatens Navy.

Big, roundly tattooed, young Luis Nova, Galveza sailorman, has designs on ring critics. Photo shows Nova, boxer on the canvas during the rough and tumble battle at Philadelphia recently. Luis Nova, with his legs up in the air, was completely down by Galento, shown at the right trying to get up after being pulled down by Nova, sometimes called the Alameda Adonis.

World Series Hero

Bill Dickey, Yankees' reliable catcher, ripped out the hit that brought home the winning run in the first game and again made a timely single in yesterday's game.

Close Finishes Expected

Libertylight, Cathay Prince, Frostylight Seen As Probable Winners This Afternoon

RACING on the Shanghai Race Course opens today at 1.15 p.m., it being the 1st day of the club's 8th Extra Meeting. The afternoon's programme is a good one of nine races on the flat, and a glance at the entries for each of these nine races gives promise of a most interesting afternoon's sport. And though favourites may not come up as winners, quite as freely as they did last week. I am expecting a few of the well fancied ones to run true to form.

The opening race is at 3 furlongs and confined to novice racers only. As Black Pirate and Clayerton may not start here. I will mention as the probable winner Hessian, who will be ridden by A. W. Striker with C. L. Nasser to place the mount. The 2nd race is at 7 furlongs and looks good for White Major, though Black Pirate may trouble him in the run in.

The 3rd race may enable Socrates to pass in as the winner, but he must put it all in at the finish if he means to beat Bienheim and Jan O'Veal. The 4th race is at ¾ mile and for 1939 griffins being non winners. In the entry of 12 there are three or four that can be considered likely ones, however, my selection must be Hongkong Beauty to win, with Wintylight and Mistylight, both close up.

The 5th race at ¾ mile looks open, though last week's winner Libertylight will probably weigh out with a 5 lb. penalty. But as he will have R. B. Moller in the saddle, it will not be dead weight he will be carrying. Bulletin and Dow Jones are his most dangerous opponents, and whilst Libertylight will probably start a strong favourite and be the winner, a modest each way bet on Dow Jones may pay better.

The 6th race at 1¼ mile may see Bachelor Prince, Bond Street, Colorado Kid, Primrosevay, Sammy, Slow Motion, The Swan and Un Un Un, all in the field. Bachelor Prince ran well last week and therefore I am going to stand by him to win, with Un Un Un, Primrosevay, and The Swan, all good to place.

The 7th race at 7 furlongs should see a good class of pony in the field including Bober, Carnival, Frostylight, Rye, The Brigate, and White Night. Rye is fit, and if he gets well away may last out the distance ahead of the field, but Frostylight is a hard one to down at this distance, and I am inclined to rely on him to be the one to pass the post ahead of the field, Carnival should place.

The 8th race at 9 furlongs will also bring out a good class of pony including Benlomond, Busted Straight, Cathay Prince, Columbus, Corps Cavalry, Don Pedro, Merry Jester, Night Express and Roehampton. Many of the above ran well in their races last week, especially Cathay Prince, Columbus, and Merry Jester and I give this as the possible order in which the race will finish.

The 9th race with an entry of 32 may have to be run in two sections. Fairylight should win, with Chimaburn, Zoe and Lord Lister all likely ones.

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Yankees Move to Cincinnati

Pearson's Great Pitching Victory Leaves Reds with Little Hope

New York, Oct. 6.

The baseball powerplant known as the New York Yankees trekked west to Cincinnati today to finish its job of annihilating the Reds and winning a fourth consecutive championship.

No sane sports fan has any money to bet on the Reds, whose two best pitchers had successively been beaten by the Yankees' powerful batting and almost perfect pitching. Although the next three games of the series, if three are necessary, will be played in the Reds' home park, the experts considered today the National League champions would be fortunate to win one game.

Manager Bill McKechnie's hitters were virtually helpless yesterday as Monte Pearson, who has won two series games in each of the last three years, got his 1939 triumph by holding the Reds to two hits and earning a 4-0 victory.

In only two previous series had both pitching been seen. In 1931 Burleigh Grimes of the St. Louis Cardinals used his softball to hold the Athletics to two hits, and the following day George Earnshaw duplicated the performance to win for Philadelphia.

No Totalisator Betting In England This Year

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 6.

The Race Course Betting Control Board has decided not to allow totalisator betting in England and Scotland this year.—Reuter.

For ten years Elly Malvon, English screen actress, has played character roles in Hollywood. She has appeared in more than 100 pictures and never went off a set for a scene until she went to Big Bear Lake for a part in "Untamed," Paramount's technicolour epic of the Northern Rockies.

Local 15-Mile Marathon Attracts 77 Entries

Route Already Drawn for Run Next Month

No less than 77 contestants have entered in the International 15-mile marathon cross-country championship which is scheduled to take place on November 5, under the auspices of the Hongkew Athletic Club. The race will get off at 7.30 a.m.

The detailed route to be covered in the race has been mapped as follows:

Start:—Corner of Embankment Road and Yates Road.

Finish:—Kinkiang Inn Middle School on Seymour Road.

Route:—Yates, Seaton, Point, Yates Road, Jessfield Road, Hardoon Road, Haining Road, Shanghai Road, Kiaochow Road, Yangtzepoo Road, Kiaochow Road, Avenue Road, Dalny Road, Amherst Avenue, Columbia Road, Great Western Road, Tifeng Road, Yangtzepoo Road, Kelwin Road, Amherst Avenue, Columbia Road, Great Western Road, Avenue Joffre and Seymour Road and into finishing point.

Entries are being opened for those who are interested and a list of competitors' names must be sent to 451 Avenue Road, Captain F. C. Laing, before October 10. No fee will be charged.

Utilities to Hold Athletic Meeting

Big Programme Arranged For October 21

Members of the track and field team of the Shanghai Utilities Company have been in good training for the eighth annual meeting which is to be held at the Shanghai American School on Saturday, October 21. A heavy programme of 13 events will be held. All preliminaries are to take place the Saturday preceding, October 14.

The six teams are the Waterworks, the Power Company, the Gas Company, Tramways, the Gas Company and the Telephone Company. The competition which was introduced in 1931 has been held ever since, with the exception of 1937 owing to bad weather, promises to be one of the best.

Every name from the 20 years of the whole race of the team, while the odd contests outside the standard one see a large field competing. Several novelty items are also to be on the programme, with the invitation 100 Mile Relay a most outstanding one.

Waterworks Weakened

Dominating individual performers in both track and field competitions, the Waterworkers have walked through the rest of the opposition time after time at the meet. This year the team will be weakened by the absence of Tony Monaco, Shanghai's star sprinter and jumper who has recently joined the H.M. Police. This ought to give the other contenders in the events in which they can be beaten by the Waterworkers.

Besides the struggle between the contenders of the utilities championships, a considerable amount of interest is expected to be seen in the invitation Mile Relay. The Norwegian Y.M.C.A., the Fourth U.S. Marines and the Lido Recreation Association should have a stiff run. The Y.M. and the Marines are certain to participate while Lido will have some difficulty to raise a team of two of their best men, may have Shanghai within the next week or so.

The events are as follows:

Track:—440, 220, 440, 880, 1Mile, 1Mile, 220 Low Hurdles, 1mi Mile Relay, General Race, 3 Years, Middle 10 Years, Low 9 Years, this 9 Years, Invitation Mile Relay.

Field:—Shot Put, High Jump, Long Jump, Pole Vault and Hurdle Race, Tug of War Men, Discus Throw, Three Legged Race, Ladies Potato Race.

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3 Cherrylight	1.58	20 Benlomond	1.58
10 Fancylight	1.55	3 Busted Straight	1.52
1 Frostylight	1.58	5 Cathay Prince	1.55
6 High Power	1.55	2 Columbus	1.58
20 Honeymoon Gift	1.55	1 Carton Rouge	1.55
10 Lucky Stone	1.58	30 Corps Cavalry	1.55
1 Magic Circle	1.52	10 Don Pedro	1.55
40 Marvellous Rush	1.55	10 Fancylight	1.55
20 Merry Guy	1.58	4 Flyinglight	1.58
4 Rye	1.58	20 Lucky Conny	1.55
15 The Brigate	1.58	7 Merry Jester	1.55
7 White Night	1.59	5 Night Express	1.58
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Bowls Season Now Near the End

Police Favoured to Win Hongkew Park Title Tomorrow

The four lawn bowls clubs which have their greens in Hongkew Park will be contesting a little competition of their own this Sunday, the annual contest being known as the "Hongkew Park Championship." This fixture marks the last important competition of the current lawn bowls season. In order that the championship may be decided in one day, an early start will be made, the first two matches starting at 10 a.m.

The Hongkew Golf Club and the Junior Golf Club have been drawn together in one bracket while the Police Recreation Club and the Clube Lusitano will clash with each other in the other encounter. The winners of these two matches will then meet at 2.30 p.m. for the Hongkew Park title which, incidently, went to the Police last year. In the meantime the losing teams will play friendly matches among themselves.

A departure from the League teams has been made, four rinks, instead of three, representing each club. Each of the competing clubs will be retaining a large number of reserves, who, if not required, will be at least assured of a game.

Winnie Day Contest

The contest is expected to take the better part of the day and will be rounded out by appropriate celebrations in the evening.

The clubs which finished in the first three places of the League, the two S.L.B.C. teams and the Rees, will be out of this contest. Thus, it will be in the nature of a consolation meeting for the lower-ranking sides. The Police, who finished fourth this season in the league, are undoubtedly the favourites, but any of the clubs are capable of taking the trophy.

This week-end marks the close of the season for the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club which will be holding their Official Closing Day on Sunday, beginning at 9.45 in the morning. A competition for ladies will be held at 2 p.m.

Beginning at 8 o'clock on Sunday morning, the Shanghai Recreation Club will sponsor a Spoons Competition for non-League players. Taking the form of a knock-out contest, the entire play is expected to be completed in one day. The draw for this competition appears below.

Hongkew Park Championship

10 a.m.—Junior Golf Club v. Hongkew Golf Club (Police greens).

10.30 a.m.—Police Recreation Club v. Clube Lusitano (Hongkew Golf Club greens).

Closing Day

9.45 a.m.—Closing ceremony at the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club.

2 p.m.—Ladies Competition at the S.L.B.C.

Knockout Competition

9 a.m.—Rees' Spoons Competition (Rees greens).

Hongkew Park Championship

Junior G.C. v. Hongkew G.C.

JUNIOR GOLF CLUB.—R. Thomsen (skip), T. Bolliger, O. Seaman, P. Shaw, F. Coffman (skip), R. Pill, C. Fletcher, N. Beeman, A. Dorlan (skip), W. Watson, R. Rieds, P. Shadwick, K. Swartwell (skip), M. Benton, R. Crandall, R. Slutt. Reserves—P. Edmonds, T. Ralph, P. Hudson, A. Lockwood, W. Hesse, R. Dickinson, W. Fleeger, T. Berry. All reserves are assured of a game.—Players are requested to show up on time. A bus will leave Bubbling Well at 9.15 a.m. making the usual stops. Tiffins will be available at the Club.

Police R.C. v. Clube Lusitano

POLICE RECREATION CLUB.—Rose (skip), Sandrock, Doe, Ralphs, Tarrant (skip), Marchand, Bines, Tomlinson, Bull (skip), Robertson, Williamson, McCahon, Barry (skip), Crowther, Shute, Ritter. Extra players.—Corbett, Clark, Pilmoor, Hall.

CLUBE LUSITANO.—J. P. de Campos (skip), A. M. Souza, A. S. Brum, F. M. F. Gutierres, R. J. Bucamazo (skip), L. P. Lopes, J. M. Rosario, J. M. Gutierres, P. A. Osorio (skip), C. L. Passos, F. M. Machado, T. C. J. d'Almeida, J. M. B. Gutierres (skip), S. del Rivero, Dr. D. M. P. Gutierres, A. A. Leitao.

The following extra reserve rinks have been selected:—

J. P. da Silva (skip), F. X. Gutierres, L. M. d'Almeida, A. C. Sequeira, D. M. G. Gutierres, F. M. Gonsalves, C. M. Gonsalves, E. A. S. Sousa, M. P. R. Leitao (skip), P. S. Barcellos, G. Ribeiro, S. P. Xavier, A. A. A. Rodrigues (skip), A. M. Collaco, J. A. Remedios, F. V. Remedios.

Two buses will leave Park Apartments at 2.30 p.m. sharp via Yates Road and the Clube.

Rees Spoons Competition

1st Round.—F. J. Aldiguer (skip) and R. Cunningham v. A. Cooper (skip) and W. Nicholett; F. R. Kennard (skip) and P. Brown v. T. Murray (skip) and D. Hunt-Baker.

Semi-Final.—F. J. Aldiguer or A. Cooper v. F. R. Macdonald (skip) and T. J. Aldiguer; F. R. Kennard or T. Murray v. A. Symons (skip) and A. Rotelise.

Final.—Winners of the semi-final play each other.

Max Schmeling Appears In Berlin

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Berlin, Oct. 5.

Max Schmeling, the German heavyweight champion, appeared in Berlin today and expressed surprise that people had wondered regarding his whereabouts. He said he had received no notice yet for army service.—Reuter.

Boxing Off Times at Seekingpao

The following times for boxing at a seekingpao (exhibition bout) have been arranged by the Shanghai Rod Club.

SATURDAY

1.0	Spiteri, King Wrestler, Visitor
1.1	Nugent, Jockey
1.1	Yates, Referee
1.1	Thomson, Bowls Road, Club
1.2	Chalmers, Cycle
1.3	Apelbloom, Dyestuff
1.4	McDonald, Underwood
1.5	Russell, Barry, Newmarket, Kobe
1.6	Doonaway, Bailey
1.6	Deegan, Bill Bates, Manor
1.11	Ellis, Carpenter (Rail)
1.11	Spencer, Market (Rail)
1.12	Hay, LaMott
1.13	Prior, Mr. Gore

SUNDAY

1.2	Soon, Brick Field, Native
1.4	Neumann, Gardens
1.5	Harrison, Thirty-Thirty, Visitor
1.5	Patrick, Long Distance, Manor
1.6	Kenna, Embankment, Club
1.6	Gotua, Woodbridge
1.6	Hill, Riley-Bate, Manor
1.12	Apostoom, Bronx
1.11	Lacasy, Rowing
1.12	Dennon, MacDonald
1.13	Bell, Armstrong, Rowing
1.13	Tebb, Jessfield
1.14	Malcolm, Thomson-Ramsay, Rail
1.15	Doonaway, Marshall
1.16	Eastwood, Cossell
1.10	Spencer, Direct
1.11	Prior, Javeride
1.11	Chalmers, Wheels
1.12	Nugent, Akoot
1.13	Nemsworth, Rias
1.13	Prince, Mr. Gorm
1.13	Doonaway, Mallard
1.14	Mr. MacDonald, Mr. Rugg
1.14	Mr. Nemsworth, Native
1.14	Moon, Bourne
1.13	Hay, Lemon

Starting times will be posted at the seekingpao course on day of Thursday, October 12, 1939. Boxing bouts should reach the Secretary before noon on Saturday, October 7.

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	2. ARTIA	2. ACHA
	3. TACOLO	3. BARRUTI
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	5. LACA	5. OSA
	6. ICHASO	6. ENRIQUE

To-morrow: Matinee at 2 and Soiree at 8

Apology to H.M. Consulate For Mr. Ward's Arrest

Japanese Evince Further Interest Yesterday in His House; Detailed Account of Proceedings

IN connection with the arrest and detention of Mr. James Ward, employee of Reuters, Ltd., by the "Special Municipality" police at his home at House 23, Lane 1984, Bubbling Well Road, on Thursday night, a full apology was tendered to H.M. Consul-General, Sir Herbert Phillips, by two officials of the Shanghai "Special Municipality" who called on him yesterday afternoon.

The two officials were Mr. Lu Ying, Chief of Police of the Shanghai Special Municipality, and Col. E. Igarashi, Chief Adviser to the Shanghai "Special Municipality" Police Bureau. They were received on behalf of the Consul-General by the Superintending Consul, Mr. G. V. Kitson.

Mr. Lu Ying, speaking for the Shanghai Special Municipality, apologized for the arrest and detention of Mr. Ward. He informed the Superintending Consul that the "special municipality" Police had entered Mr. Ward's house not knowing it was the property of a Third Power national and had arrested him in ignorance of the fact that he was a Briton. The police official responsible for the affair, he said, had been punished.

He assured the Superintending Consul that there would be no recurrence of such incidents and that there would be no interference with British nationals in the future. Mr. Lu Ying guaranteed, on behalf of the Shanghai "Special Municipality," full protection for British residents in the area under its jurisdiction.

Entry Forced

Meanwhile, the "North-China Daily News" learned yesterday that a party consisting of approximately ten men, including two uniformed members of the "Special Municipality" police rang the bell of Mr. Ward's residence at about 8 p.m., pushing their way into the hall as soon as the door had been opened. They demanded to inspect the premises, whereupon Mr. Ward asked for a warrant to be produced. While a few members of the group left the building, presumably to obtain the warrant, the remainder commenced a search subsequently discovering a small room containing a wireless transmitter which was quickly dismantled and seized.

This room, it was learned, had been rented to a certain Mr. Wang whose activities were unknown to Mr. Ward as the only contact which he had with his tenant, was that of collecting the rental at the end of each month. The discovery of the transmitter, however, resulted in Mr. Ward's arrest. He was taken to the "Special Municipality" police station, Jessfield Road, and was interrogated. He was even asked to devulge the salary which he was being paid by Messrs. Reuters, Ltd.

During the period of his detention, Mr. Ward was moved to various houses in the vicinity on two occasions, being finally led to a room where he was being watched by an armed policeman.

S.M.P. Intervene

High Settlement Police officials informed the British Consul-General of the affair and Mr. Ward was released shortly after midnight.

Despite yesterday's apology, however, the authorities in control of the "outside roads" districts evinced considerable interest for Mr. Ward's home yesterday. The building was photographed from outside and from within and two or three persons, believed to have been Japanese, called at the house on a number of occasions yesterday and asked the servants when they expected Mr. Ward to return.

Shortly after noon yesterday, two cars filled with Japanese or Chinese arrived at the house and made similar enquiries whereupon they departed.

Meanwhile, Mr. Ward did not return to his home yesterday and asked his servants to bring his belongings to an address in the Central District, where he is temporarily staying pending the settlement of the affair through official channels.

Questioned regarding the incident, a spokesman at yesterday's press conference stated that the "Special Municipality" police had heard that a Chinese, believed to be a Mr. Wang, was engaged in illegal radio communications with Chungking. In view of this report, the spokesman continued, a raid on the building in question was carried out.

As Mr. Ward was an athlete and sun-tanned, the spokesman added, and as he did not look like a foreigner, the detectives mistook him for Wang.

Moreover, the spokesman added, Mr. Ward's name, translated into Chinese means "flower" and "virtue" and is pronounced "Wah Te" which led to his being mistaken for the wanted man.

When his true identity was established, the spokesman concluded, the Special Municipality "took measures for his relief and an apology was made while disciplinary action was taken against those who took part in the raid.

Polo This Week-end At Hungjao

Matches Today, Tomorrow And Wednesday

By The Chaser

The following is the week-end schedule for polo at Hungjao.

TODAY

4 p.m. practice game. four chukkers.—Mixed Grill with W. J. Keswick substituting for Elles *v.* Scheyven, Fritz, Dr. Johnston and Lutey.
4.45 to dusk-pick up chukkers.

TOMORROW

2.30 practice game, four chukkers.—Sealions *v.* Hornby, H. Chambers, W. J. Keswick and Riggio.
3.15 First Round Reinforcement Cup. Section "B."—East Surreys *v.* Tramps.
4.15 First Round Reinforcement Cup. Section "A."
5 to dusk-pick up chukkers.

WEDNESDAY

3.30 Reinforcement Cup.
3.30 Whatnots *v.* Mixed Grill.
4.30 Sealions *v.* Robos.

Wayfoong Meet Taikoo Tomorrow

Keen Rivalry for Annual Cricket Match

Interesting cricket is assured in tomorrow's annual cricket match between Wayfoong and Taikoo on the Shanghai Cricket Club ground beginning at 11.30 a.m.

Keen rivalry always develops for these matches and the two teams include some of the better cricketers of Shanghai. The result should be a match well worth watching.

The teams are:

Wayfoong.—G. S. Dunkley (capt.), F. C. B. Black, I. H. Bradford, P. G. A. Cantopher, R. B. Gotch, J. Hall, F. J. Knightly, A. H. Matthews, W. R. McCutcheon, W. H. B. Rigg and M. W. Turner. Reserves.—P. B. Tay, D. W. Mortlock, D. A. Campbell, B. C. Allan. Umpire.—F. Marshall.

Taikoo.—R. T. Abery, W. R. Greenhalgh, T. G. C. Knight, E. W. Loveless, J. L. R. Mair, W. R. McCracken, E. McLaren, W. B. Rae-Smith, H. T. Smith, D. B. Tait and L. A. Whipps. Reserves.—N. R. Dick and W. C. G. Knowles.

Football Fixtures and Team Members

The Recs are fielding three teams during the week-end for friendly matches, and the line-ups are as follows:—

RECS *v.* P.T.H.

At Canidrome at 2.30 p.m. sharp (bus will leave the Club at 2 p.m. today):—Katz/Ussankoff; Nicolaeff and Senichenko; Symons, Jack and Bulldeath; Favacho, Kapustin, N. England, Hart-Baker and T. J. Aldeguer.

Reserves (all of whom are requested to turn up):—Greenberg, Openheim, Mingozzi and Drossel.

P.T.H.—Schnelerson; Collaco, Logan; Caro, Hans Park, Leriou; Passikides, Kidby, Cochran, MacCorkindale, Novgorodoff. Reserves: Katemopoulos, Dobrenky.

RECS *v.* S.F.X.

At Gonzaga College at 3 p.m., today:—Kosloff; Wurm and Hotchkiss; England, Ladar and Lipkovsky; Murray, Drossel, MacDonald, Herz and Brown. Reserves: Fensham, Lawrence. Harvey, Crank and Davies.

RECS *v.* MACCABEANS

On the Nee Chee Kwei Ground tomorrow at 3.15 p.m. (Bus will leave Club at 2.30 p.m. sharp):—C. C. Young; Kushnerenko and Greenberg; Zellensky, Oppenheim and Artchekoff; Watson, Madar, Lee, Mingozzi and Brodd. Reserves:—Wurm and England.

POLICE *v.* SOKOL

The police play Sokol tomorrow on the Aurora ground at 1.30 p.m. The police team follows:—W. Ward; E. M. Victal, G. I. Schaie; R. Rimmer, P. McAloon, G. R. Roliz; L. Davies, A. Jack, P. Duffy, S. Greenberg, C. Chooklantzefe. Reserves:—F. W. Bader, J. F. Louell and H. K. Stangaard.

TODAY

1.30 p.m.—East Surreys *v.* Aurora, Aurora.
3 p.m.—East Surreys *v.* Lido, Aurora.
1.30 p.m.—Ching Hwa *v.* Three Cultures, Gonzaga.
3 p.m.—Recs v. S.F.X., Gonzaga.
2.30 p.m.—Recs *v.* P.T.H., Canidrome.
3 p.m.—Lusitano *v.* S.F.X., American School.

TOMORROW

10.30 a.m.—S.F.X. *v.* A.S.F. Canidrome.
3 p.m.—Seaforths *v.* Lido, Aurora.

Recs' Cricketers for This Week-end

The Recs are taking part in two cricket matches this week-end. Today beginning at 1 p.m. on their own ground, the President's team will meet the Vice President's XI

The following members will take part and any additional players who wish to participate in the game are requested to turn out.

R. J. S. Brandt, F. F. Milner, L. P. Quincey, G. Madar, N. N. Mehta, G. N. Manley, A. J. Clarke, L. J. Lopes, A. L. Biggs, A. de S. Inwood, K. M. Pate, E. B. Brodd, E. Weidman, J. R. Main, W. E. Fairbairn, J. L. Wade, J. Davis, J. H. Anderson, H. A. Reeks, T. Veitch, A. M. A. Hansen, R. C. Veir, R. Murray, A. England, J. R. MacDonald.

S.R.C. *v.* Seaforths on the S.R.C. Grd tomorrow commencing at 10.30 a.m.

T. W. R. Wilson (Capt.), P. Madar, M. J. Divecha, S. F. Shroff, A. W. Pettit, F. R. Kermani, A. F. Gomes, N. Hart-Baker, J. Leriou, D. J. Graybrook, F. F. Kellner. Reserves:—L. P. Quincey, K. M. Pate. Umpire:—J. D. E. Shotter. Scorer:—E. C. Kew.

Britain Will Buy Up South African Wool

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Pretoria, Oct. 5.

The British Government has agreed to purchase a considerable percentage of wool-clip produced in the Union of South Africa, it was officially announced here today. The price closely approximates that paid for Australian wool.—Reuter.

Ghastly Murder Disclosed

Two Brothers Charged with Electrocuting Father; He Had Ill-treated Mother

Two grown sons are alleged to have murdered their father by electrocution and tried to dismember the body before the police appeared. This sensational revelation which shocked Chinese circles was made yesterday in the First Special District Court when Mr. Y. D. Wong, Municipal Advocate related in detail the story of how Chou Yung-chieh, the victim had been electrocuted by his sons with live wires in order to prevent him from further ill-treating their mother.

The sons were in the Public Mortuary yesterday where an inquest was being held and the mother stood in the prisoner's dock while Mr. Wong read the charge. It was a story of questionable affection in which the sons, Chou Ching-chi and Chou Ching-hsiang, being unable to bear the thought of seeing their aged mother being constantly ill-treated and sometimes beaten by their father, finally decided to get rid of him.

Mrs. Chou who is 48 years old said that she had been ill-treated by her late husband but denied that she had participated in the murder plot. Although she knew of the death of her husband she had not taken part in the dismemberment of his body. Judge Fu satisfied himself with questioning the woman postponing the hearing for another week pending further investigations.

The Court was told that the daring crime was committed early on Thursday morning when the unfortunate father, who formerly was manager of the Great Eastern Dispensary in Mukden, was still in bed in his house at 228A Avenue Haig. The two sons, it is alleged, broke into his room secretly and put wires round their father's body. The switch was turned on and the aged man died quickly.

The two sons, it was further stated, left and returned with a bottle of sulphuric acid and two bottles of nitric acid, a hand saw and a large screwdriver. They are said to have sawed off their father's head and chopped off the legs. Before they could conclude their work Bubbling Well police, informed by one of his daughters, dashed into the room where they made the gruesome discovery. The sons and their mother were arrested.

The sons, it was alleged, had been plotting the murder for sometime and most of their secret discussions were held in a park. They hated to see their father ill-treating their mother and the aged couple often quarrelled late in the evening. When the sons tried to mediate the enraged old man would turn his attention to the youths. Their father also threatened to stop supporting them through school. Fearing that their mother's life was in danger they decided to murder their father.

Japanese Cameramen Arrested, Released

Crash Into News Agency To Take Pictures

Two Japanese photographers alleged to be employees of the "Tairiku Shimbun," local Japanese-language daily, unceremoniously burst into the offices of the Fleet News Agency on the third floor of 160 Avenue Edward VII shortly after 5.15 p.m. yesterday and took a number of flashlight pictures. Their attempts to run away, however, failed and a foreign employee of the agency informed a police constable on duty in front of the building, who in turn telephoned to Central Police Station. A party of police attended and took the two Japanese photographers to the station together with a Chinese translator employed by the agency.

The two photographers are alleged to have said that they had received instructions from their employers to take pictures of the offices of the news agency and that they understood that the necessary permission had been obtained by their employers.

While officials of the news agency at first insisted that the films should be returned, they desisted and the two Japanese photographers were released shortly afterwards.

World War Draft Dodger Gets Three Years

New York, Oct. 6.

Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, America's most famous draft-doger, was convicted of desertion yesterday and sentenced to three years at hard labour by court martial proceedings. Bergdoll is already serving five years for draft-dodging. He was declared innocent of a second charge of conspiracy to escape execution for desertion.

Bergdoll went into hiding at the beginning of the great War in order to escape being drafted and sent to France with the American Expiditionary force.—United Press.

Foreign Woman Stabbed By Bag Snatcher

Miss M. Rakalina, 26 year-old Russian, was stabbed in the back by a Chinese when she tried to prevent him from stealing her handbag shortly after midnight yesterday. She sustained a stab-wound near the right shoulder-blade and was rushed to the General Hospital where she is lying in a serious condition.

Miss Rakalina was walking along Kungping Road near Broadway East, when the Chinese came up to her from the rear and attempted to snatch her bag. She resisted, however, and it was at this point that the Chinese drew a knive and stabbed her. Detectives from Wayside Police Station are investigating.

Power Production in Japan Boosted

Tokyo, Oct. 6.

With the formulation of plans by the Government for establishing seventeen hydro-electric and five coal power plants throughout Japan, the monopolist Japan Electric Power Generation and Trans-mission Corporation soon will be able to supply enough power to meet increasing demands in connection with enforcement of the industrial production expansion programme, the Kokumin Shihbun said today.

The total electric power generated will amount to 650,000 k.w. upon completion of the new plants, the paper said.

Construction of the two remaining plants will get under way soon. The plants should be completed in 1943. —Domei.

H. M. China Fleet Not to Leave

Hongkong, Oct. 6.

The withdrawal of five gunboats from the Yangtze for military reasons must not be taken to mean that the British China Fleet has any intentions of leaving China, declares a statement issued today by the British naval authorities in Hongkong.

The statement is in refutation of recent rumours concerning possible movements of the British China Fleet.—Reuter.

Information Bureau New Appointee

Mr. Y. Suma to Succeed Mr. Kawai as Spokesman

Tokyo, Oct. 6.

Mr. Yakichiro Suma, former counsellor of the Japanese Embassy in Washington who was recalled soon after America's abrogation of her treaty of commerce and navigation with Japan on July 26, will be appointed Director of the Bureau of Information of the Foreign Office as part of a widespread reshuffle of Japanese diplomats undertaken by Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura, new Foreign Minister, well-informed circles indicated today.

He will succeed Mr. Tatsuo Kawai who has been chosen to replace Mr. Kuramatsu Murai as Minister to Thailand, it was said. Mr. Murai will become counsellor of the Japanese Embassy in Manchoukuo, the post originally intended for Mr. Suma.

Mr. Suma created a mild sensation when upon his return from America on September 19, he was quoted by the Tokyo "Nichi-Nichi" as saying that: "Remember the Panay" was "the prevailing toast among the young officers of the United States Navy."

He was further reported to have pointed out that feeling in the United States towards Japan was worse than realized in Japan.—Domei.

FUNERAL

Captain Victor Ernst Reinberg

Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at Lokawei Cemetery for the late Captain Victor Ernst Reinberg, aged 62 years, with Dean Trivett, of Holy Trinity Cathedral, officiating. Capt. Reinberg has resided in Shanghai for the past sixteen years and gained a wide circle of friends. Two beautiful floral pieces from the family were lowered into the grave with the casket, that was carried to the grave by Messrs. R. Reinberg, G. M. Borodin, E. R. Dallas and Captains N. G. Klopfer, B. M. Labzin and N. E. Stroove.

Mrs. O. A. Reinberg and Son; Mrs. E. Gruenberg; Mr. Jacob Pure; Mr. G. M. Borodin; Shanghai Latvian Association; Russian Mercantile Marine Association; Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Bojko; Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Silgaiv; Mr. E. R. Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. Schliwa; Mr. C. Ivanoff and family; Captain E. Waitneek; J. Skreitul and family; Captain L. Raks; Mrs. K. Raks; Mr. M. T. Dracopoulos and family; Mr. B. T. and M. A. Dracopoulos; Captain and Mrs. A. Musikas; Mr. and Mrs. B. Engelhardt; Mrs. M. Conrad and Hansi; Mrs. and Miss Kraukle; A. A. Nifiodoff; Alde S. Wood; W. Kilinack; Mrs. B. Guenther and Captain B. Guenther; Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Pooiga; Mr. Mascepan; Mrs. M. Karp; Mr. John Karn; Mrs. S. M. Minter; Mrs. J. W. Marsh; Mr. M. Beyersdorff; and others.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the International Funeral Directors.

Australian Volunteers' Pay Rates Fixed

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Melbourne. Oct. 6.

The War Cabinet has fixed the daily rates of pay for privates of the initial Australian Volunteer Force of 20,000 men. Single men will get five shillings a day, whereas married men will be paid 7s.6d., with an additional 9d. for each child. After embarkation, each man will receive an additional shilling a day.—Reuter.

OBITUARY

Mr. Edmund Norrie

Honolulu, Oct. 5.

Mr. Edmund Norrie, 80-year-old former editor of the "Honolulu Independent," one time Hawaiian royalist newspaper, died yesterday in Honolulu.—United Press.

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Belgium Gets Nazi "Warning"

Brussels Fears German Violation of Neutrality Status Under Pretext

Brussels, Oct. 6.

Grave concern was felt here today over the report of the Belgium news agency from Berlin stating that under certain circumstances Germany would consider herself released from her neutrality pledges. The news agency said that the circumstances included the ability of a neutral effectively to prevent continuous air incursions by belligerent nations.

The Brussels press speculated on the possibility of an attempt by Germany to denounce her pledges to Belgium and Holland on a pretext, despite the Berlin Propaganda Ministry's denouncement of the report as an "invention." "We will stand by our guarantee," the Propaganda Ministry said.—United Press.

Threatening German Demarche

London, Oct. 5.

Britain today prepared for German action against the neutral States which, during the past few days, were declared to have received informal German demarches against any "association with Britain's economic war."

Today, a German demarche was reported to have been made to Brussels, telling the Belgian Government in rather imperative terms just what the Reich considered as "respect of neutral status" and what it thought to be not in keeping with such respect.

Berlin, observers here declared, emphasized the disadvantages and "consequences" of any possible association with the British economic war against Germany. The word "association" in the German mind, they said, was equivalent to a refusal to extend economic aid to the Reich.

Despite natural apprehension felt at the receipt of the demarches, these observers continued, all the small neutral Powers received Germany's action coldly and kept Britain informed. London, for its part, it was declared, would try to avoid anything that might embarrass relations between the neutrals and the Reich and, at the same time, was making preparations for any "sequel" to the Reich's diplomatic initiative.—Havas.

Bing Crosby, reputedly Hollywood's most colourful dresser, sets a new record for himself in his newest Paramount film "The Star Maker." He wears 23 different changes of costume.

Manchoukuo Seeks Treaty Revision

Changchun, Oct. 6.

Negotiations have been started by the Manchoukuo Government, in collaboration with the Japanese Government and the Italian Ambassador to Tokyo, Signor Giacinto Auriti, for revision of the Japan-Manchoukuo-Italy Treaty of Commerce.

While Manchoukuo has been importing in the main machinery, automobiles and other vehicles, these Italian manufactures have been customarily quoted higher in price than similar industrial products from Germany and America.

Manchoukuo is negotiating with Italy for the importation of larger quantities of quicksilver, gypsum and metals other than iron, besides products of heavy industry.—Domei.

Australian Premier Corrects Report

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Melbourne, Oct. 6.

Mr. R. G. Menzies, the Prime Minister, said today that the report, issued yesterday, stating he was going to London early in 1940 for a special war council of Dominion prime ministers was due to a misunderstanding. "No arrangements have been made for me to go to London," he added.—Reuter.

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BIRTH

HILL.—On October 6, 1939, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. H. HILL, a son. -5217

ANNOUNCEMENT

Owing to unforeseen circumstances the wedding of Miss PATRICIA GOW to Mr. HENRY MARTYN SNOW will take place on Monday, October 23, instead of Wednesday, October 18 as previously announced. 11721

MARRIAGE

OTTSEN—KOEHLER.—On October 6, 1939, at the Royal Danish Consulate-General, and at the German Church, Shanghai, DOLORES (Dicky), eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Koehler of Shanghai, to HANS HENRIK, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ottsen of Nordborg, Denmark. 11730

IMPARTIAL NOT NEUTRAL

A SINISTER TALE

It is to be hoped that the American steamer Iroquois will escape the fate which apparently the German navy has in mind for her. Carrying a full list of American refugees on board she left Ireland on October 2 for the United States, and the German naval commander-in-chief has notified Washington that when the ship nears the United States she will be sunk "through a repetition of the circumstances which marked the loss of the Athenia." That is a most unfortunate phrase, for American representatives carrying out investigations into the sinking of the Athenia, definitely expressed the opinion that that vessel was sunk as a result of action by a German submarine. Coupling, therefore, that fact with the German admission of the circumstances which will attend the contemplated sinking of the Iroquois the Government of the United States should be in no doubt, should the vessel be destroyed according to the German forecast, as to where responsibility should lie. That is the only possible conclusion which can be drawn from the action of the German commander. It amounts to a warning that the Iroquois will be sunk, and an attempt beforehand to pin the blame on the Allies. The sinister nature of the whole matter is that should the Germans succeed in carrying out their intention, without the vessel committing the fell deed being captured, and identified, the onus will be placed upon the Allies of proving the most difficult thing in the world, —a negative, the fact that they did not do it. It is an old trick. There is between this warning to the United States' Government and certain circumstances attending the sinking of the Lusitania in the last war a striking degree of similarity, for it will be remembered that there was in German quarters in New York, foreknowledge of what was going to happen to that unhappy vessel, some people in fact being warned against travelling in her.

It was the existence of this foreknowledge in the case of the Lusitania which helped to place the blame upon German shoulders, though that was really not necessary for the Germans admitted and glorified the action, seeking only to defend what they did by claiming that the vessel carried contraband of war, and that they were consequently justified in sinking her. But, it has to be emphasized, that it was known in German circles that she was going to be sunk on that particular voyage, just as it is apparently known by the German naval command that the Iroquois is to be destroyed in the course of the next few days. It follows by deduction that if the British Government contemplated anything so foul, and it must be pointed out that it has not yet descended to the sinking of neutral vessels, the Reich must be exceptionally well placed to obtain information concerning the inner councils of Whitehall. That in itself is just as much an absurdity as this attempt to embroil the Allies with the United States, and the incredulity with which the information has been received in Washington is thoroughly justified. If the Iroquois is in fact sunk the only people who could have done it will be those with this knowledge which the German naval command professes to have. The scheme is not without its ingenious aspects. Should the vessel reach port unscathed, the Germans will be able to claim that it was because of their warning that the British Government was forced to hold its hand, and the picture of Herr Hitler going out of his way to protect the lives and property of a neutral country will doubtless be presented to the world. That would indeed be a pretty picture were the world completely ignorant of all that has happened during the last few years, but there are few who will be fooled by any such manœuvre. It is far too clumsy and obvious in every one of its aspects. No clearer indication of German intention could possibly be given than by this warning, and even if the Iroquois is not sunk, the Reich will undoubtedly seek to make propaganda capital out of a very transparent device.

The question naturally arises as to why this move should have been made at this particular juncture. The immediate objective seems to be to bring about such a state of public opinion in the United States that the amendment of the Neutrality Act, which President Roosevelt so earnestly desires, will be frustrated. Therein lies the reality that the Iroquois is in grave danger of being sunk. Should she be there would be probably great reluctance to proceed with the necessary legislation which is now being debated until the guilt, one way or the other, had been definitely established. If the United States could be forced into a state of hostile neutrality so far as the Allies were concerned, the Reich would have obtained a very important success, should they be induced to go even further than that and abandon neutrality the case of the Allies would indeed be a serious one, and Herr Hitler and his accomplices are not the men to let the fate of a few hundred American citizens stand in the way of achieving their ambitions. There is one other point which needs to be borne in mind. The sinking of the Lusitania was one of the gravest mistakes which Germany made during the last war. It was an error of the first magnitude and led to a train of circumstances which ultimately brought the United States into the war on the side of the Allies. With that historical knowledge, is it to be believed for one moment that Great Britain would run the risks of something similar happening should it be found guilty of any such outrage such as this of which the German naval commander has such intimate knowledge? The Germans might very well make a mistake a second time. They have on occasions done it, but to think that Britain would be guilty of such a criminally foolish act is to assume something which cannot be justified no matter how British character is regarded. The world may rest assured that if the Iroquois is indeed molested it will not be by any British vessel; there is too much to be lost by any such stupid proceeding. If there is any intention of sinking the Iroquois, it is in the mind of the German Government.

Price of Peace

By the time these lines appear in print Herr Hitler will have made his speech in which it is believed he would indicate his peace terms. The prospect has created no particular sensation in either Great Britain or France, for both countries have got so accustomed to his outpourings, that he can now make very little contribution towards an improvement of the situation. There are indications that the peace plan which he has prepared does not have the support of Signor Mussolini, whose government has remained strangely silent since the visit of Count Ciano to Berlin. If its terms are no different from those reported to be current in high German quarters it is not surprising that Il Duce refuses to have anything to do with them, for they are foredoomed to rejection at the hands of the Allies. There is some speculation as to how Herr Hitler will present his peace plan. Some believe that he will indicate his intentions in general terms and await reactions before being more explicit. That speculation will by now have been set at rest by the actual speech itself, but it is fairly safe to suggest that, unless in his offer Herr Hitler very closely approximates what are already known as the essentials without which the question of peace cannot even be considered by the Allies, his speech will have been nothing but a meaningless gesture so far as the outside world is concerned, though it may still be fraught with considerable domestic significance. There is about this latest speech one gratifying feature, and that is that it has been awaited without any anxiety whatever. There is no longer much concern as to what Herr Hitler is going to say next or how his policy is going to be affected. Committed as he now is to war, by reason of his own actions, the ending of it rests entirely with himself. Immediate peace can be obtained at a price which involves his own removal from office and the eradication of the form of government which he has set up. Merely his own resignation would not be sufficient. His accomplices have to go as well, and Germany given an opportunity of securing that freedom which is cherished by the democracies, and in which alone a country can be expected effectively to work out its own destiny. Perpetuation of the Nazi system under Marshal Goering would not meet Allied requirements, for the peace of Europe demands that those who have busily been engaged in destroying it shall have no further opportunity to repeat their ghastly experiment.

War-time at the Zoo

London's famous Zoo is suffering the influence of war-time conditions. With air raid precautions, high cost of maintenance of the animals and other extraneous problems, including the possible escape of the poisonous snakes in the event of bombing, the law of the jungle has been intensified by the man-made laws of war necessities. One of the first steps taken by the Zoological Society authorities was to destroy the magnificent collection of poisonous snakes—a step which, according to "The Times" which rarely indulges in sentiment, declared resulted in the fact that "the keepers, some of whom have spent 25 years with the reptiles, were visibly affected." A number of constrictor snakes and other reptiles, which may have caused trouble in case an attack on the Zoo may result in their escape, have also been destroyed, but the big pythons have been saved and now recline in strong wooden boxes in the centre space of the reptile house. Emergency measures have been taken regarding the fish, many of which have been released into the ponds and supply tanks. All the elephants, with the exception of a young African bull elephant two-thirds grown, have been removed to the reservation at Whipsnade and so have the giant pandas. If circumstances warrant there will be a thinning out of the lions in order to reduce the enormous meat bill, and the sea-lions pelicans and penguins, consumers of fish, may have to change their diet and swallow meat smeared with cod liver oil in an effort to give it a fish taste. Otherwise, the Society regrets, something else will have to be done. Smaller Zoos throughout the country have already reduced the burden or threat to human life by destroying animals. All the wild animals at the Kursaal Zoo, Southend, have been destroyed, and appropriate measures have been taken elsewhere. It is a pity that this action has occurred for it takes time, money and long experience to create and maintain such institutions, but in the great sacrifice everybody must suffer. While hundreds of thousands of children having been evacuated from London to the safer rural areas the chimpanzees and their afternoon tea party—which have delighted thousands visiting Regent's Park, must be feeling lonely and unappreciated, but when better times come again they may feast to their heart's delight safe in the knowledge that they, too, did their bit in the great national task.

Today's Bazaar

Many calls are being made upon the generosity of the Shanghai public in the sacred cause of charity, and also for war purposes, but it is felt that the bazaar and fair being held in the grounds of the Cathedral Girls' school this afternoon in aid of the funds of the Lester Chinese Hospital has an especial call upon the support of Shanghai residents. This institution is serving, and for very many years past has served the needs of a class of Chinese which is particularly hard hit at the present time. The Hospital itself is badly in need of money, and the Chinese and foreign ladies responsible for this afternoon's function, and who are actively engaged throughout the year in assisting the hospital authorities have adopted this means of providing the necessary material to assist them in their occupational therapy work. Many of the articles which will be on sale this afternoon have been made by the patients of the Hospital, and it will be appreciated that as a therapeutic measure the opportunity to engage in such work by patients destined to long periods of confinement in hospital cannot in many cases be over-estimated. This particular cause is urged upon the attention of Shanghai even though a large section of the community is preoccupied with the business of raising funds for war work of different kinds. The latter will appeal very strongly to those whose nationals are already involved in the great struggle, and they may regard it as a first charge upon themselves, but in times such as these extra effort all round is required. It may necessitate giving until it hurts, but it would be a serious error if local charities were as a result wholly neglected. It is to be hoped, therefore, that as many as can will attend the bazaar, and give thereby financial support to a valuable movement which is doing such much good in circles where there is yet so much good to be done.

IN PARENTHESIS

Fishy

AN angler inquired from his gillie if there were many fish in a certain river.

"If you were to boil the water you take out of it," said the gillie, "you'd be getting the taste of salmon in your tea."

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Tact

"BOBBY, how old is your big sister?"

"Twenty-five."

"Twenty-five? She told me she was just twenty."

"Oh, I expect that's because she was five before she learned to count."

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Cutting

"CONGRATULATIONS, old man! I hear you've just become engaged."

"Yes, and my fiancee is saying that she is going to marry the cleverest man in the town."

"Gosh! That's bad! Do you know this fellow?"

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Mistaken

A MAN went into a shop to buy a fountain pen. The young saleswoman gave him one to try, and he covered several sheets of paper with the words *Tempus Fugit*.

The saleswoman offered him another pen.

"Perhaps," she said, "you'd like one of these better, Mr. Fugit."

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Just One

MR. and Mrs. Barnes had been discussing an arrangement which implied the exercise of the "give and take" theory.

"You know," declared Mr. Barnes, "that it always takes two to make a bargain."

"Yes," returned Mrs. Barnes, "but only one of them gets it."

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Business

FOUR men were sitting in a downtown restaurant.

The first one sighed.

The second one scratched his head.

The third one groaned.

Whereupon the fourth exclaimed disgustedly: "Won't you fellows ever stop talking about the business situation!"

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Retort Courteous

FOR two hours he had been the pest of the party. His imitations were terrible, ranging anywhere from George Arliss to a humming bird. In the far corner had been sitting the man with the screwed-up face.

"What would you like to see me imitate now?"

The man moved. He spoke. "How about a ground hog that's seen its shadow?"

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Definitions

How are the mighty fallen!

Last September the leader of Nazi Germany was described in official British announcements as "the Fuehrer."

At the beginning of this year's crisis he was "the German Chancellor."

Then he was "Herr Hitler."

In a recent broadcast he was just plain "Hitler."

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Questionnaire for Ladies

Do you arbitrarily refuse dates because he called at the last minute?

When he phones for a date, do you frequently say, "Call me back in a few minutes, I'll let you know then?"

Do you tell him long stories on the phone that could be reserved for when you see him?

Do you ask personal questions when he phones from the office?

Do you often phone him at his office?

When he calls from a phone booth, do you talk at great length?

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Come Right in

MRS. Broadbottom is a very strict landlady and doesn't believe in anything that might be termed "loose living." So, when a young man came in to look at one of her furnished rooms, she lost no time informing him that she would not permit any lady visitors.

"Would male visitors be all right?" asked the young man.

"Of course."

"That's fine," replied the young man handing Mrs. Broadbottom a week's rental, "my girl friend will move in tomorrow."

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As Others See Us

A SERIES of articles entitled "I come from England" has been appearing in a Continental evening newspaper. They are accompanied by photographs of anxious Englishmen having bulletproof linings fitted to their bowler hats, as though this was a usual feature of modern English life, while vendors of bullet-proof waistcoats are said to be doing good business, particularly with 'politicians and their wives." To refute the claim that England is an 'Al nation," the author of the articles cites the advertisements for patent medicines which appear in the English Press and announces that "every English breakfast table bears a series of bottles with all kinds of medicines and powders" in order to counter-act bad cooking. And so the series goes on, with English cartoons reproduced with captions distorted to reverse their meaning.—"The Times" correspondent.

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.

Yesterday	Min.	62.0	Max.	87.0
Same date, 1938	Min.	70.5	Max.	85.0

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min.	58.6	Max.	87.6
Same date, 1938	Min.	70.3	Max.	86.5

Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 5th:—Normal and steady pressure over China and Japan. Typhoon to the west of Guam moving west-north-westward. Fine weather and south-westerly to south-easterly winds along the Coast.

State on the morning of the 6th:—Fine weather. South-south-easterly wind. Normal and steady pressure.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Cloudy weather and moderate variable winds around Shantung and in our regions: north-easterly over the Eastern Sea. Typhoon signal: Approximate position of the centre, at 2 p.m., within 120 miles, latitude 15, longitude 130, direction west by north, intensity: unknown.—Siccawei Observatory.

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TO THE ROYAL SOCIETY OF ST. GEORGE

In memory of Mr. Denys H. Cooke:—

J. E. Rees-Lee	$10.00

TO THE EMIGRANTS LIBRARY

N. N.	41 books
Mrs. Hosking	10 books and clothing

TO THE I. C. MILK FUND

Restaurant Barcelona	$20.00
E. L.	3.00
Anonymous	100.00

British Submarine Has Thrilling Adventure

Survivors Tell of Escape After Enemy All But Destroy Craft; French Oil Tanker Rams U-Boat; Half German Undersea Raiders Lost

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 5.

A THRILLING story of a British submarine's escape from destruction while on submerged patrol duty in "enemy" waters is told today by a naval eye-witness. Two depth charges, he says, exploded close to the submarine, and the Germans then searched for her with sweep wires and electrically operated bombs and depth charges. One of three exploded on an average of every two minutes for the next two hours, while the crew ran a six-penny sweepstake on the exact time of the next explosion.

Next a wire was heard scraping the hull, followed by a series of bumps and then a shattering explosion. All lights were extinguished, glass was smashed, and water and air leaks started. The crew restored the lighting and stopped the leaks and, after dark, having prepared a demolition charge to blow up the ship rather than surrender, the crew blew the ballest tanks and the submarine rose to the surface to find nothing visible.

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With its periscope gone, wireless smashed, communication pipes crushed, and engines disabled, the submarine was helpless and unable to dive, but the engines and wireless were repaired after some hard work and an "S.O.S." brought the fleet to the rescue.

The German began an air attack on the arrival of British warships, but it soon crumpled under the anti-aircraft fire of British cruisers and attacks by fighter planes from an anti-aircraft carrier, and the submarine was able to return to its base safely.—Reuter.

Half U-Boats Lost

London, Oct. 5.

There was good reason to believe that Germany had already lost about half the submarines she had in action at the outbreak of the war, the Information Ministry announced tonight. It was categorically denied that several German U-boats had been attacked by British merchant ships, as alleged by German reports, and the Ministry also denied accusations in the Reich's press that British trading vessels had been transformed into Q-boats (disguised anti-submarine warships).

German allegations, the Ministry asserted, simply constituted an attempt to create an excuse for Germany to pursue her submarine attacks against Allied and neutral merchant ships.

The communique added that there was no information yet available about the German corsair reported off the Brazilian coast earlier this week. The Royal Navy had taken secret measures in the event that such a sea-raider again was reported, it said.

Figures demonstrating the efficiency of British naval convoy measures and of the anti-submarine campaign also were published today. They showed that during the first week of the war, Britain lost 85,000 tons of shipping, in the second week 46,000 tons, in the third, 21,000 in the fourth 9,000 tons and during the last week very much less, in only 876 tons of shipping.—Havas.

French Tanker Rams U-Boat

Paris, Oct. 5.

"I was on the bridge at 6.30 p.m. when suddenly my ship struck something with a rending sound, followed by a terrific explosion," the captain of a French oil-tanker said this evening upon landing after a thrilling encounter with a German submarine, which he believed he had rammed unwittingly.

"My ship was shaken and reeled," he narrated. "An enormous column of water spouted up at the side of the tanker and showered the main deck, while a layer of oil spread over the sea, coming up with strong bubbles of air."

The tanker's captain explained that the incident occurred when he was sailing through a region which he believed to be patrolled by German U-Boats. To throw the possible attackers off his track, he said, he had adopted a zig-zag course, during which he struck what he thought to be a submarine.

Naval experts did not discredit the captain's report for they declared the ramming was quite easy to understand. Submarines, they pointed out, did not as a rule leave their periscopes above sea level when waiting for their prey. Periscopes were shown only, at intervals and, once an objective was sighted, U-boats again lowered them and proceeded underwater to a position from where they intended to launch their torpedoes. If, during their underwater trip, the surface vessel changed its course, the submarines were out of luck. Sometimes, the experts concluded, if a submarine did not take care, it could be rammed by a zig-zagging ship while it was sliding sightless through the water into an attacking position.—Havas.

German Submarine Effort Declines

Attacks on British Ships Decrease, But Increase Against Neutral Ships

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

From recent statements made in the House of Commons, it is well known that the success of German submarines acting against British shipping has shown a steady decrease since the outbreak of war.

The activities of these German submarines has equally declined, and this is again revealed by the fact that in a period of three days before October 5, only two British ships have been attacked. One of these attacks took place about 20 miles south of the Needles, while the other attack was made on October 2, approximately 15 miles to the northwest of Ushant. Moreover, during this period there were no reports of the sinking of any British ship.

While German submarine activity against British ships has shown a decline, on the contrary, it has shown an increase against the ships of neutral powers. Patrols are carried out across the Skagerrak by German surface craft and aeroplanes as well as by German submarines. A large number of neutral ships have been stopped and ordered to proceed to Kiel or Hamburg, where Germany has established control stations for contraband, and the Diamantyis, a Greek ship of 4,990 tons, has been sunk in a position about 50 miles southwest of Lands End, according to the latest information received in Shanghai.

British Navy Get Two More

Boulogne-Sur-Mer, Oct. 6.

Usually reliable informants said here today that British destroyers patroling north-east of the English Channel had trapped two German submarines early this week and forced them into a mine field where they exploded and sank.—United Press.

Soviets Hold Up Ships

Moscow, Oct. 6.

Several British and Swedish freighters are reported to be detained in Murmansk and Archangel by the Soviet authorities. The action is understood to be in connection with an order by the Commissariat of Foreign Trade forbidding the export of goods which are not paid for in advance.—Reuter.

British Convoys in Baltic

Riga, Oct. 6.

Britain is planning to introduce the convoy system for commerce through the Baltic Sea, and particularly to Sweden, it was reported here today. The report could not be confirmed immediately, but heavy British and Swedish ship losses in the Baltic area since the outbreak of the European war were believed to be adequate basis for the introduction of the convoy system.—United Press.

Germans Free Swedish Ship

Stockholm, Oct. 5.

Captured by a German warship some days ago and taken to a German port for contraband inspection, the Swedish merchant ship Kirsholm was freed today, according to latest reports here.

It was also reported that Germany was increasing by a large number the propaganda service in Copenhagen, where it was said the German officials had to take over Czech Legation quarters in addition to their usual German Legation buildings.—Havas.

Britain Seeks Facts On American Zone

Neutral Sea Belt Seen As Giving Advantages

London, Oct. 5.

While British naval quarters refuse to comment at length today on the announcement of a 300-mile neutral sea zone round the Americas until they received more information, they did assert that the scheme presented "only advantages, provided the security of the large ocean area can be ensured."—Havas.

Clarification Asked

Washington, Oct. 6.

Lord Lothian, the British Ambassador, has asked Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, for a clarification of the declaration concerning the neutrality zone created by the Pan-American Conference at Panama.

Mr. Hull later told a reporter, who asked whether any threat was implicit in the Panama Declaration, that the decision of the 21 Republic to consult each other in case the belligerents refused to accept or neglected to observe their decision was as far as the matter had gone.

The zone stretches from the coast line of the Continent for a distance attaining 600 miles at some places. Within this area no hostile or belligerent acts will be permitted.—Reuter.

U.S. Warships Massing At Hawaii

"For Training Purposes" Say Officials

San Diego, Oct. 6.

Twenty-nine United States' warships, carrying a complement of 106 aeroplanes and accompanied by the bulk of the fleet's scouting force, sailed for Hawaii late last night.

Their arrival at Pearl Harbour will result in the concentration of the strongest naval force ever stationed at Hawaii, except during manoeuvres.

It is officially stated that this movement has been under consideration for some months, for training purposes.—Reuter.

Soviets Deny Sinkiang Troop Massing

Moscow, Oct. 6.

A communiqué issued by the official Tass News Agency denies reports published in the foreign press that Soviet troops are concentrated on the borders of Sinkiang.

The communiqué describes the reports as a "malicious fabrication circulated for a provocative purpose."—Reuter.

Reich Admiral Sends Strange Warning to U.S.

Sinking of Iroquois Like That of Athenia Cryptically Forecast

Washington, Oct. 6.

The White House announced last night that the Commander-in-Chief of the German Navy, Grand Admiral Erich Raeder, had officially advised the United States Government that the ss. Iroquois, carrying American refugees from Europe, will be sunk "through a repetition of circumstances which marked the loss of the Athenia" when the ship nears the United States.

President Roosevelt's Secretary, Mr. Stephen Early, said the United States Government did not place great credence in the warning. The Government has warned the captain of the Iroquois, however, and ordered several Coast Guard and naval vessels to meet the ship and escort it the remaining way to the United States.

Mr. Early said Admiral Raeder claimed he had received the information from "creditable sources." The warning obviously placed the full blame for the sinking of the Athenia on the Allied Powers and intimated that Britain and France were attempting to drag the United States into war against Germany by sinking ships carrying American refugees and blaming the attacks on Germany.

The Iroquois left Ireland on October 2 with a full load of American refugees from the European war zone.

The German Embassy here said it had received no notice of the German Admiral's warning to the American Government.—United Press.

British Admiralty Statement

London, Oct. 6.

The Nazi warning issued to the United States that the American vessel Iroquois would be sunk near the American coast, is a good opportunity to fathom the criminal morality of the Nazi leaders, the British Admiralty stated today in a communique released by the Ministry of Information.

"It is, however, surprising, "the Admiralty added, "that an officer who once belonged to the German Imperial Navy should degrade his uniform by allowing himself to be connected with such baseness."

The Athenia, the communique said, was obviously sunk by a German submarine which was clearly sighted by the survivors. No British submarine was less than several hundreds of miles from the scene of the torpedoing at the time when the attack took place.—Havas.

U.S. Cabinet Discusses Issue

Washington, Oct. 5.

The Iroquois, according to the strange warning, would be sunk close to the east coast of the United States "in circumstances similar to those of the Athenia's sinking" on September 3 off the west coast of Scotland.

Responsible for the cryptic forecast was Grand Admiral Erich Raeder, Commander-in-Chief of the German Navy, who forwarded it to President Roosevelt through Commander A. E. Schrader, U.S. Naval Attache in Berlin. Grand-Admiral Raeder asserted that he had the fullest confidence in his information on the Iroquois' fate.

Mr. Stephen Early, White House Press Secretary, disclosed today that the Cabinet held an urgent meeting yesterday and devoted "practically all" of its session to discussion of the Iroquois question.

"We cannot imagine that a British, French or any other vessel should do such a thing."

The master of the American merchant ship, Mr. Early added, already had been instructed by wireless to search his ship for explosives.

The British and French Admiralties also had been informed of the curious warning received by the President.—Havas.

Opinion in Washington

Washington, Oct. 6.

The story of the "warning" created considerable excitement here. General opinion in government quarters, however, is that the report constitutes an unusual propaganda manœuvre, as it assumes American public opinion believed the previous German allegation that the British were responsible for sinking the Athenia. Americans apparently do not take this view, so Washington wonders what the Reich hopes to gain by elaborating this fresh propaganda upon a foundation which has already been discredited.

It is learned here that the Iroquois is carrying 584 passengers and crew, all Americans.—Reuter.

"Do U-Boats Get Fuel In San Domingo?"

Mr. Chamberlain to Be Asked Question in Commons

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 5.

Rear-Admiral Sir Murray Fraser Sueter, Consevative member of Parliament of the Hertford division of Herfordshire, today gave notice that he would ask Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Prime Minister, in the House of Commons on October 11, "if he will enquire whether mother ships are being used by the Dominican Government to refuel German submarines operating in the Caribbean Sea, and what action is being taken to prevent the use of ex-rum runners on the North Atlantic Coast of America to supply German submarines with oil fuel and water."—Reuter.

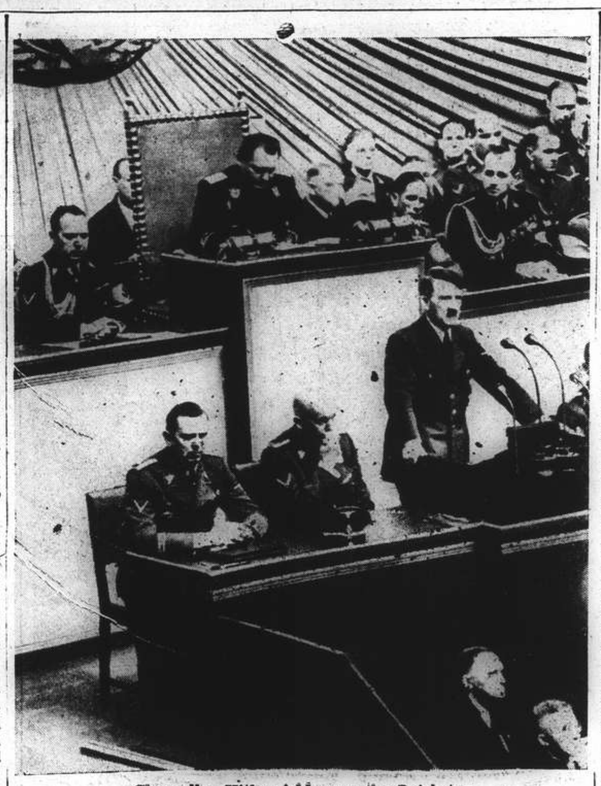
Mauretania Reported Flying U.S. Flag

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 6.

The British 34,000 ton liner, Mauretania, is reported to have been seen flying the United States flag. An attempt was made in a German broadcast, to represent this as an abuse of a neutral flag.

It is a well accepted principle that a ship is justified in flying false colours to deceive the enemy. This is a feature of naval instructions of all countries, and is supported by leading authorities on international law. The only limitation to this practice is that the ship must hoist her proper flag before committing any act of hostility.—Reuter.



Chancellor Hitler Addresses the Reichstag

Chancellor Hitler yesterday addressed the Reichstag when he outlined his peace proposals. Here he is seen addressing the Reichstag on September 1 when he announced his war plans against Poland.

Col. Stimson Urges America To Lift Arms Embargo

Senate Controversy Develops; Senator Overton Of Louisiana Reverses Stand to Join Opposition

Washington, Oct. 6.

COL. Henry Stimson, former Secretary of State, appealed to the United States in a nationwide broadcast from New York last night to demand repeal of the arms embargo provisions of the Neutrality Act. Col. Stimson said the present Neutrality Act made leaders in Germany and other countries believe that the United States feel no responsibility for anything that happens abroad. "I believe the provisions of the Neutrality Act to a material extent encouraged the present breach of peace by Germany in Poland," he said.

Earlier in the Senate, Senator Key Pittman, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, angrily challenged isolationist Senators to add cotton, oil and American-mined metals to the list of embargoed war materials under the Neutrality Act.

Senator Pittman said the willingness of isolationist Senators to impose an embargo on these three commodities, which he described as "instruments of mass murder," would prove the sincerity of the isolationists. Senator Pittman, who favours repeal of the embargo provisions, said the Neutrality Act in its present form had neither halted nor discouraged the outbreak of war in Europe.

Cotton Senator Challenged

Senator Pittman's outburst came after Senator John H. Overton, Democrat of Louisiana, broke from his southern Democratic colleagues by reversing his stand of the last three years in which he favoured repeal of the embargo provisions.

Senator Pittman pointed out that belligerent nations "sink every ship carrying cotton," proving its value to warring nations. He challenged Senator Overton, a representative of a cotton growing state, to sponsor an embargo against cotton shipments to belligerent nations.

The Embargo, said Senator Pittman, "has not stopped brutality and murder. If there has ever been murder by bombing civilian populations, it has been going on in China."

Senator Pittman pointed out that Japan was in need of bombs to carry out her war against China. He emphasized, however, that Japan would be able to buy scrap iron in the United States even if President Roosevelt invoked the present neutrality act in the Orient. The terms of the Act, he pointed out, did not declare an embargo on scrap iron and other materials vital to Japan's war machine.

Senator Overton, in reversing his stand on the embargo question, told the Senate that repeal of the arms embargo provisions would amount to "armed intervention in Europe."

Title and Carry Provisions

Earlier Senator Charles Tobey, Republican, of New Hampshire, urged that a decision be reached immediately on the Administration's bill to enable immediate consideration of the title and carry provisions.

These provisions would require that belligerent powers purchasing goods in the United States would be forced to take possession of them in the United States and transport them abroad on non-American ships.

"Every hour that our ships are in the war zones," Senator Tobey said, "it is an hour of danger in determining whether or not America will be drawn into the European conflict."

Senator Gerald P. Nye, leader of the isolationists, told the Senate that the United States needs the embargo as well as the cash and carry provisions of the Administration's bill.

"Both are needed if we are to do our utmost to keep out of Europe's war," he said.

Senator Nye upheld Senator William Borah, veteran independent Republican isolationist who said that "ahead of America is but hell" if the embargo provisions are repealed.—United Press.

Changes in Senate Voting

Washington, Oct. 5.

Signs of probable changes in the Senate voting on the Administration's Neutrality Bill were very satisfactory declared Mr. Stephen Early, President Roosevelt's secretary, when questioned today.

Senator Walter George, Democrat of Georgia, a member of the Foreign Relations Committee, predicted consideration of modifications in the proposals for shipping restrictions and 90-day credits.

Speaking at the resumed debate in the Senate, Senator Lewis B. Schwellenbach (Democrat; Washington) contended that the Administration's Neutrality Bill offered "the most complete and orderly retreat from war that any nation has ever executed." He said had Congress deliberately sought involvement in the European war, it "could not have done a better job than through our present legislation."—Reuter.

Col. Stimson's Warning

New York, Oct. 6.

"Great Britain and France are fighting a battle which, if lost, becomes our battle," declared Colonel Henry L. Stimson, formerly United States Secretary of State, in a broadcast last night.

"In the interests of our own safety," he said, "we should repeal the foolish and dangerous embargo, returning to the wise policy of our forefathers. Repeal would encourage Britain and France to help wavering nations not to join the dictators. The world is facing one of the most powerful, deliberate and dangerous efforts of organised aggression. Peace-loving nations have been thrown back on their remaining resource—self-defence. Woe to them if the privilege is not left to them of buying arms in the world market for purposes of defence."—Reuter.

French War Supplies Commission in U.S.

New York, Oct. 5.

A spokesman of the French Embassy said today that a French war supplies commission had arrived in the United States, but that it was "merely exploring the possibilities of the American market." The commission, he added, had not yet been given orders to make purchases.—Reuter.

Warsaw Air Chief Tells of Escape From City in Patched Crates

Colonel Nowak and Little Band of Pilots Re-Build Planes for Flight to Paris for Continuing War

Paris, Oct. 6.

In an exclusive interview with the United Press yesterday, Colonel Nowak, chief of Warsaw's air defence forces, told how he and nine other Polish flyers, on orders from the Warsaw defence commander, General Rummel, escaped from the former Polish capital in six old planes.

"With all our aircraft destroyed and our munitions running low," Col. Nowak said, "it became increasingly clear that Warsaw's capitulation was approaching. General Rummel wished to save several Polish pilots, myself included. We searched all the half-burned hangars of the aviation schools and aeronautical clubs for spare parts. For six days we worked rebuilding make-shift planes—two gliders and three single-seater short planes, and an old reconnaissance machine which I was to use. It had been dismantled into a thousand parts three years ago for demonstration purposes in the flying school.

"When the machines were completed, we had a look round for an airfield. The Okecie military airport was occupied by the Germans and fighting raged round the small civilian Mokotow airfield. We determined to leave on the night of September 26. Our infantry was ordered to clear the field where they forced the enemy back in a bayonet and hand grenade charge. I and ten other flyers rolled our machines from the hangars and started the motors. The noise of our motors was drowned out by machine-gun and artillery fire. At 2 a.m., we cleared the German lines, where enemy gun fire brought down one of our planes. We circled Warsaw at 3,000 meters, seeing the burning capital for the last time and headed southward toward Hungary. I am now in Paris, enlisted in the Polish Army."

Col. Nowak estimated that 30,000 persons were killed during the siege of Warsaw.—United Press.

French Win All Borg Forest in Surprise Move

Moselle-Saar Corridor Salient Consolidated; Siegfried Line Neared

Paris, Oct. 6.

The centre of interest on the Western Front has shifted to the Moselle-Saar corridor, immediately east of Luxembourg. By a surprise attack near the Luxembourg frontier, the French have succeeded in totally occupying the Borg forest, Shock troops have consolidated the positions won in this area.

The Germans are making desperate efforts to prevent the French making further progress in the western part of the corridor for two reasons. The first is that a French advance would threaten any German plan to violate the neutrality of Luxembourg, and also considerably reduce their space in manœuvre. The second reason is that if the French succeeded in reaching the outskirts of Bouren, six miles from the French frontier, the advanced works of the Siegfried Line further south would be weakened and exposed to capture by a bold stroke from the flank.

Observers are beginning to wonder whether the German General Staff might prefer a great frontal attack against the Maginot Line to flank attacks through neutral countries. The reason is that among the new model German tanks is a heavy type carrying a six-inch gun, apparently intended for operations against massive fortifications.

A French war communique issued last evening said the day was calm on the whole. Activity, it added, was shown by reconnaissance parties on both sides at different points of the front.—Reuter.

German Claims

Berlin, Oct. 6.

German pursuit planes and anti-aircraft guns destroyed 27 British and 45 French war planes during the first month of the European War, the official D.N.B. news agency reported last night. On September 30 alone, the report said, 21 Allied craft were downed on the Western Front and in two North Sea battles. Five German planes were lost on this date, the report said.—United Press.

Germans Shelling Rusdorf

Luxembourg, Oct. 6.

After a quiet night, violent gunfire was heard along the Franco-German border this morning and it was ascertained that German artillery batteries were shelling Rusdorf, two kilometres from Sierck.—Havas.

New Zealand Doing Bit for Empire

Volunteers in Britain to Form Own Battalion

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 6.

Two hundred and fifty New Zealanders in Britain have offered their services for the current European war. They are all of military age and are to be formed, into one unit. They are to be trained in England and will later be attached to the New Zealand Division when it is sent overseas.

Mr. Peter Fraser, Acting Prime Minister and Minister for Education, has been appointed the New Zealand representative to London, it was announced yesterday in the House of Commons by the Dominions Secretary, Mr Anthony Eden. Mr. Fraser is to hold consultations regarding the Empire during his stay in England.

The New Zealand Government has authorized the formation of a Maori Battalion for home or oversea service, it was announced. The fine record of this remarkable race in the last world war will be recalled by many. A battalion of Maoris, under their own officers, fought beside New Zealanders at Gallipoli, where many gained distinction. They also suffered many casualties because of their extreme daring. Later, in France, their numerical strength was more than doubled by regular reinforcements, and they were formed into pioneer battalions with the New Zealand Division. In this capacity, they gave equally fine service. The Maori race has been gradually increasing in number, and today there are over 70,000 in New Zealand.—Reuter.

Bank of New Zealand Under Control

Revaluation of Reserves To Be Legalized

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Wellington, N.Z., Oct. 6.

A Bill has been introduced by the New Zealand Government in the House of Representatives providing for complete control of the reserve of the Bank of New Zealand.

The Bill empowers the Finance Minister to vary or suspend the minimum reserve of 25 per cent. and to revalue gold coin bullion, held by the Bank, on the basis of the market value of fine gold. The Finance Minister may also transfer to a special reserve account any profit obtained by this transaction.

Questioned by the leader of the Opposition, the Finance Minister said it would be wrong to say that the Governor of the Bank of New Zealand had acquiesced in the Bill.—Reuter.

Japan's Trade Improves

Tokyo, Oct. 6.

Japan's exports to countries other than yen bloc countries for the first eight months and 20 days of the current year amounted to Y.1,153,000,000 and imports from similar countries to Y.1,658,000,000, with an adverse balance of Y.500,000,000 which is about Y.20,000,000 less than for the corresponding period last year.

Japan's international merchandise trade for the first nine months of this year, it is stated, showed a favourable balance of Y.400,000,000. This compares with an adverse international trade balance of Y.97,000,000 for the same period in 1938.—Reuter.

Herr Hitler Again Demands Return of Colonies

Conference Before War Continues Suggested; Britain Attacked; Conquest of Poles Lauded

Berlin, Oct. 6.

IN his momentous speech before the Reichstag today, Chancellor Hitler made no definite peace proposals, merely asserting that "Germany desires peace" and "has no more claims in Europe." He fully maintained the Reich's colonial demands but added that these demands are by no means an ultimatum. Asserting that the Reich is prepared to disarm "to a reasonable level," he expressed the hope that a world conference would be convened to settle all pending problems "before millions of lives are sacrificed." He wound up by voicing confidence in Germany's victory but hoped that peace would be restored forever.

The Reichstag's session opened shortly after noon in the Kroll Opera House which was filled to capacity. The brown shirts of Nazi Party members mingled with the "feldgrau" uniforms of officers back from the Polish front. The diplomatic corps was fully represented in the room. Complete silence prevailed in contrast to the atmosphere of previous sessions where shouts of "Heil!" could be heard from all benches.

Five minutes after noon, Herr Hitler took his seat on the Government bench, while the audience rose silently. The session was then opened by Field-Marshal Hermann Goering, President of the Reichstag, who paid a brief tribute to the war dead and announced that the Chancellor was about to make a statement. Herr Hitler then rose amid cheers and began his speech immediately.

Recalling the address he delivered on September 1, he declared that he would give an account of the last five weeks of war. The German people, he said, "are celebrating a victory unique of its kind." The enemy was either repulsed or destroyed everywhere.

Military Feat Stressed

"If the Polish armies were able to hold out in Warsaw and Modlin," he stated, "it was not due to their courage but to the orders I had issued that the lives of men were to be spared."

Within a fortnight, he pointed out, the better part of the Polish army had been repelled or destroyed. "It is the greatest military feat in the history of the world," he stressed. Wherever the Polish troops were able to resist, he added, it was due to "our magnanimity."

Herr Hitler stated that he had suggested that women and children be evacuated from Warsaw but the Polish High Command would not comply with the request. "One Marshal, who himself fled, encouraged the civilians to resist," he said.

Paying brief homage to the courage of the Polish troops, the Chancellor gave a detailed account of the Polish conquest.

"If a state of 36,000,000 people has been destroyed within five weeks, this is not due to chance but to the ability of the German High Command and the courage of Germany's soldiers," he said. "We can henceforth feel secure."

Germany's losses, he added, were much less than expected. He asked the audience to rise as he was about to mention these losses.

German Losses Revealed

Up to September 30, he said, 10,572 men were killed, 30,000 wounded, and 3,000 disappeared. These losses were a twentieth of what was expected.

On the other hand, the Polish army was completely destroyed, he said. The number of Polish troops captured and sent to Germany amounted to 644,000.

Attacking the former "so-called" Polish state, the Fuehrer said: "Disdaining millenary evolution, a state was built up which was to become the origin of a new conflict. This artificial state took no account of history or economic conditions. One British statesman who today is our enemy foretold that: Lloyd George."

Herr Hitler then branded the Polish Government's treatment of its minorities and its rule over regions of which the Polish population themselves were the minority.

"Such a state was called a democracy, yet it was never supported by more than one fifteenth of the population over which it ruled," he said.

The German minority, the Fuehrer said, was persecuted by the Polish authorities. "For years we witnessed such a state of affairs," he said. "Ever since 1934 I endeavoured to find a compromise between the interests of Germany and Poland, but it was all in vain." Poland's claims upon Danzig proved the last straw and Germany was compelled to take action. Poland's stiff attitude, he explained, resulted from Great Britain's guarantee.

Relations with Russia

After again castigating Poland's alleged "barbarity" and painting a vivid picture of the atrocities he alleged to have been committed on battlefields by Polish soldiers against wounded Germans, Herr Hitler suddenly switched to the Soviet-German pact which, he said, "no one has the right to criticize."

Explaining how it was brought about, Herr Hitler stated: "To our last proposals the answer was a general mobilization. Poland, backed by the British guarantee, then launched an offensive on our territory. But that country's fate was settled speedily. Poland, one of the most insane creations of Versailles, disappeared."

It was then, he said, that Germany and Soviet Russia deemed it fit to reach a profound understanding with each other. "As long as both regimes respect each other, all causes of un-

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Latest Exchange

The closing Interbank selling rates yesterday were as follows:

Sterling 4 11/32d. U.S.$ 7 11/32c.

LONDON METALS AND N.Y. CROSS RATE

London, Oct. 6.

A sharp advance was recorded in silver prices in London today, with quotations being fixed as follows:—

	Oct. 5	Oct. 6
London spot	21¼d.	22¼d.
„ forward	21d.	22¼d.
„ gold	168/-	168/-

London/New York:

	Oct. 5 close
One pound	U.S.$4.0200
One U.S. dollar	59.701d.

Oct. 6, 1 a.m.

One pound U.S.$4.0200	$4.0400
One U.S. dollar 59.701d.	59.405d.

—Reuter.

Hitlerian Diatribe Mocked in Paris

Same Old Nazi Stories Told Over Again; U.S. Senators Show Scorn

Paris, Oct. 6.

Early reactions in authoritative quarters here show that Herr Hitler's speech is considered a repetition of his usual manoeuvre consisting, after each new coup, in a statement that he has no more claims to put forth and nobody has anything more to fear—except on a small matter of detail. This time the detail is not the colonial question, as intimated by Hitler, but a revision of the injustice which the mere existence of the British Empire constitutes in his eyes.

His whole case is put forward thus, it is considered here: "Let me do as I please and as the Russians please as far as Poland is concerned. I have no claims on the Baltic because I have given the Baltic states to Russia. I did not wage war on Poland: she was the aggressor."

Thus Hitler's much-heralded peace plan adds little to the situation.

Germany is ready to conclude peace provided she is left free to do whatever she wants with her conquests and to organize South-Eastern Europe according to her own interests.

This is not the first time that Hitler states he has no more territorial ambitions. He solemnly said so in Munich prior to the rape of Czechoslovakia and again before the partitioning of Poland with Russia.

Therefore, the primary condition laid down by Paris and London for a consideration of any German proposals is completely lacking, as no guarantee was provided for Hitler for the future. His speech, it is said, merely reminds Britain and France of the previous violations of his pledge.—Havas.

American Senators Scornful

Washington, Oct. 6.

Congressional circles after hearing Chancellor Adolf Hitler's address to the Reichstag broadcast by the National Broadcasting Company today returned mixed verdicts regard the speech, although they unanimously attacked the Fuehrer.

"Hitler's latest blast has not changed my opinion that he is the greatest menace to world peace," Senator Arthur Capper, Republican of Kansas and strong isolationist, said.

Senator Clyde Herring, Democrat of Iowa, said that "Hitler's speech impressed me as the crying of a guilty soul."

Mr. Pete Jarman, Democratic Representative of Alabama, said that "Hitler's speech meant nothing. I disagree with him because I believe there will be another November, 1918, for Germany."

Senator Capper in discussing Herr Hitler's speech and the repeal of the arms embargo said, "I will not vote to send American boys across the seas to fight."

Senator Herring, a supporter of the Administration programme for the neutrality legislation, said, I hope America will take speedy action to keep us out of this war."—United Press.

Washington Loses Hope

Washington, Oct. 6.

Herr Hitler's speech offers practically no ray of hope that the present dispute in Europe can be solved through honourable negotiation by France and Great Britain, political circles here stated today after listening to the Fuehrer's speech over the radio.

The Fuehrer made no important concessions which had been heralded in semi-official reports from the Reich. He made no mention of the possibility of an improvement in the regime imposed by the Reich in Czechoslovakia, nor did he refer to the nature and extent to the new Polish state. These points are considered here as particularly characteristic of the Fuehrer's conception of international life.

Political circles here consider the extent of the collaboration between Germany and Soviet Russia as announced by Herr Hitler as a most serious threat in European civilization from which the United States cannot remain disinterested.—Havas.

London Finds "Nothing New"

London, Oct. 6.

That no new elements were brought forth by Hitler in his speech today is the opinion voiced in political quarters here, commenting briefly on the address as it came through the radio.

Hitler's peace offensive, in fact, does not go as far as was anticipated. The fact that no assurances whatsoever for the future were given is noted without surprise. The entire speech is generaly termed "null and void."—Havas.

Japanese Goodwill Plane Reaches Dakar

Dakar, Oct. 5.

Spanning the south Atlantic in ten hours and fifteen minutes, the Japanese globegirdling goodwill aeroplane Nippon arrived here from Natal, Brazil, at 1 o'clock this afternoon. It left Brazil at noon today, Natal time.—Domei.

Sino-Japanese War On Milo River

Japanese Said Repulsed to North Bank; Chinese Claim 30,000 Japanese Casualties

Chungking, Oct. 6.

With the exception of a small detachment of Japanese troops now holding out at Yingtien, on the south-eastern shore of the Tungting Lake, all Japanese forces south of the Milo River have been driven back to the north bank, according to Chinese dispatches received here today.

"The defeat of the Japanese in the Changsha battle," these dispatches claim, "is the worst hitherto suffered by the Japanese in the present war."

To date, 30,000 Japanese are reported to have been killed. More than 6,000 dead bodies are said to have been left behind on the field, which the Japanese, "in their hasty retreat, were unable to carry away or cremate."

Chinese forces, the dispatches conclude, are at present attacking Pingkiang and Tungcheng.

Kiangsi Operations

Japanese forces in north-western Kiangsi who attempted to advance into Hunan via Hsiushui and Tungku to join forces with a Japanese column at Pingkiang, are at present surrounded by Chinese troops in the mountains between Hsiushui and Tungku, according to a Chinese dispatch received here today.

Chinese troops yesterday afternoon recaptured Pingkiang, a strategic city on the highway near the border between Hunan and Hupeh, according to a communiqué issued here today by the Chinese.

A Japanese column which advanced westward along the highway from Fengsin, the dispatch adds, has been driven back by the Chinese after it had reached Shihchieh, Tapuchiao and other points to the west and northwest of Kangfang.—Reuter.

3,000 Chinese Defeated

Nanchang, Oct. 6.

Two detachments of Japanese troops, which captured an important base on the Wuning-Changsha Highway Wednesday morning after advancing 40 km. from Wuning in a day and night march, dispersed an army of 3,000 composed of detachments of the 13th, 136th and 15th Divisions in a 10-hour engagement Thursday morning in the hills west of the captured base.

More than 500 dead were left by the fleeing Chinese.—Domei.

Shekki Suffers Heavily

Hongkong, Oct. 6.

Chinese military headquarters at Shekki were "wiped out" by a Japanese air raid on the Kwangtung town on Wednesday, a Chungshan dispatch to the "South China Daily News" said today.

Other Chinese reports said that extensive damage was done in Shekki during successive Japanese air raids on Wednesday and Thursday. Believing that this air activity presaged a Japanese push into the Chungshan "model district," the Chinese authorities were reported to be rushing preparations to apply the torch to all parts of the district by enforcing a scorched earth policy.

Local officials have been ordered to carry out a registration of all stone buildings in their respective areas within one week so as to be able to carry out their systematic destruction should the Japanese advance, the reports added.—Domei.

Turkish Delegation Entertained

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 5.

General Khazim Orbay, head of the Turkish military mission, and several other members of the Turkish delegation were entertained at luncheon today by His Majesty's Government. Lord Chatfield, Minister for the Co-Ordination of Defence, presided. Simultaneously, a luncheon was held in honour of the Danish trade delegation by His Majesty's Government. Mr. W. S. Morrison, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, presided over the luncheon.—Reuter.

THE CINEMA

"Man About Town"

Bob Temple	Jack Benny
Diana Wilson	Dorothy Lamour
Sir John Arlington	Edward Arnold
Lady Arlington	Binnie Barnes
Ted Nash	Phil Harris
Rochester	Eddie Anderson
M. Dubois	Monty Woolley
Mme. Dubois	Isabel Jeans
Susan	Betty Grable
Hotchkiss	E. E. Clive
Gibson	Leonard Mudie
Englishman	Herbert Evans
English Bell Boy	Clifford Severn
Waiter	Cyril Thornton
Receptionist	Kay Linaker
Acrobats	The Pina Troupe

When such mirth provokers as Mr. Jack Benny, dark-skinned Mr. Eddie Anderson, wooden-faced Mr. E. E. Clive and a host of other stars including Mr. Edward Arnold, Miss Dorothy Lamour and Miss Isabel Jeans, get together one may rest assured that something will happen in a big way. They got together in "Man About Town," which opened at the Cathay Theatre yesterday, and something did happen in a far bigger way than this reviewer expected. To describe the film as one long scream from beginning to end would hardly do it justice. It was pure fun. The picture contained no preachments; it pointed no moral. Its tempo was reckless and so were its gags which flowed from the mouths of Mr. Benny and his dusky partner in a never-ending stream. Most important of all, however, the story was completely original and was embellished by scenes in which delectable damsels draped (undraped would, perhaps be better) in diaphonous costumes added their little bit to the best show in which Mr. Benny has appeared in years. The story, very cleverly, took the audience through Mr. Benny's lovemaking troubles with a couple of married women whose husbands were anything but pleased at his attentions which, really, were quite harmless, or so Mr. Benny thought, and at the same time left plenty of room for some beautiful dancing sequences in which the performers included Mr. Anderson, a bevy of really glamorous damsels and last but not least Miss Lamour herself, undraped as usual. Best features of this splendid film were its wisecracks, Mr. Anderson's flashing feet, the girls, and its wonderful comedy sequences. A picture that should not be missed at all costs.—B.S.

Herr Hitler Again Demands Return Of Colonies

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friendliness disappear between them. (Loud Cheers). The World War, which saw Germany and Russia on opposite sides, proved to be the misfortune of the two countries. It only served the interests of the capitalists who now claim that the rapprochement between Germany and Soviet Russia is perfidy. I have already stated that the rapproachment is a turning point in Germany's foreign policy. The two countries are now marching together along the road to peace."

German Imperialism Denied

The Fuehrer then attacked the allegation abroad of German imperialism.

"Those who dominate 40,000,000 square kilometres claim that Germany, who rules over only 400,000, wants hegemony over the world."

Turning back to the Polish situation, the Chancellor stressed that the Polish question will never be allowed to become a bone of contention between Germany and Soviet Russia. The new order in Poland, he pointed out, will be based on racial geography. "The Versailles statesmen knew nothing about history," he said.

Referring to the League of Nations, Herr Hitler stated that it became "the roosting place of those who were interested in the maintenance of the Versailles Treaty."

The Fuehrer then alluded to the official statements made in Britain and France that his word cannot be trusted. "I pledged my word to the German people to free them from the fetters of the Versailles Treaty and give them back their vital rights, and I have done so," he exclaimed. "That is why I protest when foreign statesmen accuse me of bad faith."

Germany's Claims

Reviewing Germany's claims in the past, the Fuehrer stated: "It is true that I refused to submit my humble wishes before an international consortium. (Loud Cheers.) But I always tried to settle all disputes through negotiation."

The revision of the Versailles Treaty which he carried out, he said, "is extremely modest." The aims of his foreign policy have always been to give the German people "living space."

"The desire for peace was never greater anywhere in the world than in Germany," he stressed. "The destruction of the Versailles diktat may have been painful for some, but it was accomplished without bloodshed and is a boon for humanity. The revision over Poland could have been carried out entirely by peaceful methods."

The following eleven points were then enumerated by Herr Hitler as a statement of Germany's case:

1. Germany intends to undertake no economic aggression against the Baltic states.
2. Germany has no reasons for conflict with Scandinavia.
3. There are no territorial disputes between Germany and Denmark. Loyal and friendly relations prevail between the two countries under the existing non-aggression pact.
4. The Reich has no dispute either with Holland, to which it is bound by traditional friendship.
5. Germany seeks friendly relations with Belgium and has given up all her revisionist claims towards that country.
6. Regarding Switzerland, Germany has left no doubt as to her determination to maintain friendly relations with that country.
7. The common border with Yugoslavia has been defined clearly.
8. The same applies to Hungary with whom friendly relations are being pursued.
9. Slovakia's independence has been recognized once and for all and will not be jeoparized.

No Designs in West

10. Regarding Il Duce, "I modified the nature of our relations. A former foe has become a friend. Our frontiers are clearly defined and proclaimed as such. An ideological and political pact was concluded."
11. "I always did my best to clear up our relations with France and my stand has not varied in that respect. Ever since France loyally solved the Saar problem there are no elements for a conflict between us. No French statesman can claim that I ever submitted any demands to France contrary to the honour of that country. I have always been animated by the desire to banish the enmity between the two countries. France knows I never asked anything from her that was incompatible with her honour and interests. I did everything to suppress causes of discord. I often expressed my admiration for France's historic feats."

The Fuehrer then turned to Germany's relations with Great Britain, saying:

"My efforts to reach an understanding with that country were untiring. I never wronged Britain's interests. British statesmen have no reason to treat us like enemies. I have done my best to bring our two peoples closer by reason and sentiment."

Herr Hitler attacked Britain's statesmen again and then turned once more to Soviet Russia.

"A friendly basis has been created," he said, "and our relations with Russia have been normalized thanks to M. Stalin's understanding. I created no chaos in Europe but I tried to clarify the situation. Only those who hate order and love disorder can be disappointed by my policy. This crime of having restored order is not a violation of a pledged word. On the contrary, I feel honoured to have done it. I pledged my word to my people and not to Versaille."

Warning to Britain

The Fuehrer next outlined Germany's position towards Britain and France.

"Without caring whether my words will be interpreted as a sign of weakness or not, my prestige permits me to do as I do," he said.

Denouncing warmongers and warprofiteers, the Chancellor said that it was his duty to speak as he did in view of his knowledge of the "military situation." He stressed that the Versailles Treaty and Poland "will never rise again" and stated that the fate of that country is now in the hands of two great Powers.

He then issued a warning to Great Britain: "If Britain wants to go on along the path she has chosen then millions of men will be sacrificed in vain for Versailles will not be reborn and the Reich will not perish."

In the West, he added, no problems remain to be settled except capitalistic ones. The two main questions today, he stated, are that of Germany's aims in the East with the settlement of the Polish question, and "the settlement of problems which complicate the lives of peoples."

These two problems include a number of questions. The first problem will be settled automatically when the following questions are solved:

1. The demarcation of Germany's Eastern frontiers.
2. Constitution of nationalities and states.
3. The Jewish problem.
4. Economic reconstruction.
5. Guarantees of security for the new territories.
6. Restoration of the Polish state on bases such as will not endanger German-Soviet relations.

"If Europe wants peace," he said, "she must understand why Germany and Russia want to settle all these questions.

The second part of Germany's task and the most important includes:

1. Clarification of the political aims of all European countries. The Reich is ready to shed the necessary light on its own policy. The Reich proclaims the Versailles Treaty obsolete and has no further claims to make except the colonial demands.
2. The return of Germany's colonies must come first. It is based on right but will not assume the shape of an ultimatum.
3. The essential condition of European reconstruction is the guarantee of security based on the reduction of armaments "to a reasonable level" through a clarification of the use of certain weapons.

"I have already made proposals in that respect," the Fuehrer continued. "They were rejected."

Herr Hitler then pointed out that a distinction should be made between authorized and prohibited armaments.

Herr Hitler now embarked upon a plea for the humanization of warfare and recalled "what I did in tht respect."

World Parleys Necessary

On such bases and on such bases only, he concluded, will "peace without suspicion" be possible. All this can only materialize on the basis of co-operation between nations. Some day an international conference is bound to meet, "but it cannot meet amid the din of guns or under pressure of arms. It would be more reasonable to tackle these problems before millions of lives have been sacrificed."

Should war go on, Herr Hitler added, "France will destroy Saarbruecken and Germany will destroy Muhoulse. Then it will be Carlsruhe and Strasburg. Then the aviation will pursue its work of destruction which may spread overseas as there are no such things as islands nowadays. "(Loud Cheers).

"Yet there will always be a frontier between Germany and France,'" he said.

He stressed that he did not care what will be thought of his words. "If they are not understood, they will be my last ones," he ended. "Let those who realize that there are only the vanquished in a war and no victors grasp the hand which I stretch out. Let the others repulse it."

He had no doubts as to Germany's victory, he concluded, but hoped for peace in Europe.

The Fuehrer ended his address at 1.25 p.m., and was followed to the tribune by Field Marshal Goering, who said a few words, stressing that "never was a ruler loved so much by his people" and proclaiming that the session was closed.—Havas.

The King Inspects London's Office of Works

His Majesty the King leaving the Garden entrance of the Office of Works in Whitehall, London, after a surprise visit he made on his brother, the Duke of Gloucester. Crowds are seen lining the street anxious for a view of their King.

Anglo-Turkish Pact Expected Soon

London, Oct. 6.

Britain and Turkey have not yet initialed a mutual assistance pact covering the Meriterranean, well informed circles said today, but the final signature was expected in the near future.—United Press.

New German Press Campaign Begun

British, French People "Tired" of Present War

Amsterdam, Oct. 5.

Allegations that the British and French masses already were tired of the war and wanted peace at any price made their appearance in the German press today as a "newspaper peace offensive" was launched.

Indicative of most news organs' attitude was the statement of the "Bremer Nachrichten," which declared that all neutral countries should associate themselves with German peace propaganda, "which would be a good service to the world."

At the same time, this newspaper and others also emphasized that a "neutral space in the Balkans, economically stable, is a vital need for Germany."

According to German press commentaries, the Reich is anxious to promote a neutral bloc of Balkan and Scandinavian countries which would be forbidden to trade with the Allies."—Havas.

France Eradicates Communists

Municipalities Run by Reds Now Superceded

Paris, Oct. 5.

Florimond Bonte, prominent Communist Deputy of the Seine, was arrested this afternoon near Paris shortly after legal action was taken by the authorities against two Communists, alleged signatories of a mysterious letter to M. Edouard Herriot, President of the Chamber of Deputies.

Simultaneouusly, all those municipal councils in the Paris suburbs where the Communists enjoyed a majority were replaced this afternoon by special committees appointed by the District Prefects. Similar measures were being taken today in all towns, villages and even hamlets run by Communist municipalities.

The authorities were on the lookout tonight for Arthur Ramette, Communist Deputy of Nord, who took over the chairmanship of the new Workers and Peasants Party after the Communist Party was dissolved.—Havas.

Russia and Germany Divide Spoils

Soviet Troops Withdraw From Lithuanian Area

Berlin, Oct. 6.

Soviet troops are withdrawing from the salient of Poland bounded by East Prussia and Lithuania which, in accordance with the Russo-German pact, will become Reich territory, reports the official German news agency today. The whole salient will be in German hands by Saturday, it is stated.

Lithuania will thus have a frontier with Germany twice as long as before the partition of Poland.

The Soviet-German commission appointed to mark out the new boundary agreed upon evacuation of the territory on Thursday, after which German infantry and engineering units crossed the frontier at four points.

It was also announced here that the last remnant of the Polish army, consisting of 8,000 men, surrendered at 10 a.m. today at Kock, east of Deblin.—Reuter.

Japan and New Polish Government

Gaimusho Attitude Over Recognition

Tokyo, Oct. 6.

The Polish Ambassador, M. Tadeusz Romer, called on the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Mr. Masayuki Tani, this afternoon and requested Japan's recognition of the new Polish Government, according to Japanese reports.

The spokesman of the Foreign Office was asked today by foreign correspondents if Japan would recognize the new Polish Government that had been established in Paris. There was no question of recognition, the spokesman replied, as the Japanese Government had never withdrawn recognition of the old Polish Government. Establishment of the government, the spokesman added, was notified to the Foreign Office last week by the Polish Ambassador.—Reuter.

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SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 6.

Vast training schemes are required for the rapid expansion of the Royal Air Force to full war strength and for the maintenance of air power. These schemes, worked out before the war began, have been completed without a hitch.

Although the preparations which were made envisaged that a change would have to take place when the country was subjected to enemy air action, the complete absence of hostile aircraft assisted in the smooth working of the plans. The complexity of modern aircraft makes the training time much longer than in the last war, and the object now is to train war airmen in complete crews rather than to turn out individual pilots or gunners.

It was stated today that the standard of recruits was as high as it ever had been, and "we are very satisfied with it."—Reuter.

Chinese General Said Going to Moscow

Hongkong, Oct. 6.

Gen. Ho Pao-tsu has been chosen by the Chungking Government to go to the Soviet Union as a special emissary, a Chungking message to the "Lih Pao," leftist Hongkong vernacular daily, reported today.

It was understood by the daily that the Chungking Government was aiming to readjust Sino-Soviet relations in view of the development of the world situation after the outbreak of the European war and, specially to induce the Soviet to strengthen their economic assistance to China.

It was expected that the appointment of Gen. Ho will take place soon, according to the "Lih Pao"—Domei.

Mr. Halliburton Seen Fighting Typhoon

Seattle, Oct. 5.

Captain John Anderson, of Shanghai who was rescued two days ago aboard his Chinese junk Taiping near the Canadian border after having been en route to U.S.A. 106 days, declared today that the adventurer Richard Halliburton, who set sail in the junk Sea Dragon from the China Coast some months ago, was "lost."

He said his junk saw Halliburton fighting a typhoon on March 24, but afterwards the Sea Dragon disappeared.

Captain Anderson, his Russian wife, and the other five seamen aboard were in an exhausted condition when sighted by a Coast Guard survey boat off Vancouver Island.

Their intended destination was Treasure Island, San Francisco, but, when found, they were way off their course.—Reuter.

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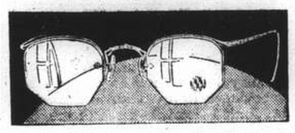

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FROM DAY TO DAY

THE weekly report of refugee work for October 5 follows:—No. of Camps under inspection by Public Health Department 30; No. of refugees therein 38,819.

THE Rev. E. S. Box, of the London Mission, Tientsin, son of the late Rev. Ernest Box, for some years connected with the London Mission in this city, is to be the preacher at the morning service at Union Church tomorrow at 10.45.

A BAZAAR and Fun Fair, sponsored by the Lester Chinese Hospital's Women's Auxiliary Committee, is being held at the Cathedral School for Girls today at 2.30 p.m. Many attractions are promised for both children and adults.

THE monthly Mass for the honorary members of the Helpers of the Holy Souls will take place at the Convent Chapel on Monday, October 9, at 8 a.m. The ladies weekly sewing meetings will start on October 16 from 2 to 4 p.m.

TRAFFIC was held up for 5 minutes on the main London road at Bentley Village, near Alton, Hants, when a drove of rats, estimated at between 2,000 and 3,000, crossed, from the direction of Crondall Hills and moving towards the River Hey.

MEMBERS of the A.D.C. are reminded that the first Club Evening of the season will be held in the Lyceum Theatre tonight at 9.15 p.m. A most attractive programme has been arranged. Tickets are obtainable at Messrs Moutrie's box-office and at the theatre.

MEMBERS of the British Women's Association interested in Badminton are asked to get in touch with the office as soon as possible. It is planned to open the court on Monday, October 23, and the committee would like to hear from prospective players without delay.

A FIVE-year old child, Ethel Burgess, while standing on the lawn at her home, East View, Bargoed, South Wales, was pierced through the eye by an arrow it is not known from where the arrow came. She is making progress at the local hospital, but her eye has been removed.

CHINESE factories in Shanghai must continue to submit their products to the Ministry of Economic Affairs or any authorized organ of the Chinese Government in Chungking for inspection. If this is not done, the registration of the factory concerned is liable to be cancelled, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao."

AN important military conference is unconfirmedly reported in Hongkong Chinese circles as being held in Hengyang, Hunan, says a Hongkong Chinese message to the "Hwa Pao." The conference, the report states, is being attended by Generals Pai Chung-hsi, Chen Cheng, Hsueh Yo, Lo Tso-ying, and several others.

LOUIE Freear (Mrs. Charles Shepherd) star comedienne of the Haughty Nineties, died in a Bayswater flat unknown, aged 67. She is buried at Brookwood, Surrey. Her greatest hit was as Fifi in "A Chinese Honeymoon" at the old Strand Theatre the play ran for two years. She used to earn £200 a week.

THE "Limbless Fund" appeals for helpers for the rummage sale at the Union Church Hall on Thursday next (October 12) at 9.30, and also on Wednesday morning and afternoon to help get things ready. A good deal more "rummage" would be very welcome and can be sent to the Union Church Hall, marked "Limbless."

DR. Lee S. Huizenga has kindly consented to broadcast for the Shanghai Anti-Tuberculosis Association today from 7 to 7.30 p.m., on the "Signification of the Double bar Cross, from XMHD (through the courtesy of the Shanghai Christian Broadcasting Association) operating on a frequency of 760 kilocycles, wave length 395.6 metres.

TECHNICAL experts have been invited by Mr. Huang Shu-chu, Chairman of the Kwangsi Provincial Government, to assist in drafting the proposed 5-year Provincial Reconstruction Plan, says a Kweilin, Kwangsi, Chinese message to the "Sin Wan Pao." The drafting of the Plan, the report states, has been ordered to be completed within two months.

SIR Nigel Campbell, presiding at the annual meeting of the Old Barkeley Hunt at Chesham, revealed that, owing to the fact that their own pack and that of the South Oxfordshire Hunt met close to the boundary, both packs hunted the same fox last season. Arrangements have apparently been made, however, to avoid such incidents in the future.

THE Ministry of Economic Affairs of the Chinese Government in Chungking has wired local Chinese banking circles urging them to promote the extension of credit loans on property mortgages, says the "Sin Wan Pao." This will tend to discourage the accumulation of commodities. In this way the speculation activities which have long affected the general populace by the rising of commodity prices, will be halted.

THE Union Church Tuesday Evening Club, of which Dr. Couper Patrick is president, is to resume its autumn session on Tuesday evening next in the Church Hall. Supper will be served at eight o'clock, and this will be followed by the annual business meeting, after which Mr. James Macbeth will give a talk on "Some Outstanding Characteristics of the Victorian Era." Members who have not yet made reservations for the supper are asked to notify as early as possible the hon. secretary, Mr. O. G. R. Beynon (Tel. 90166), in order that arrangements may be made.

"CHINA must fight to the end, and only by so doing can she achieve victory." These wods were spoken by General Li Tsung-jen, noted Kwangsi military leader, at a press interview which was held at an undisclosed Chinese front on October 3, says a message to the "Sin Wan Pao." Some Chinese people, General Li declared, are unnecessarily anxious over the current European War and over China's financial situation. This is not, however, the core of the whole problem, General Li added, the main problem is to fight, and by continued resistance all these problems can be solved.

Disabled, Sick and Children Evacuated from London

Interior of a hospital train carrying seriously ill people and children from London hospitals to safer places in the country.

Sikh Money-lender Loses Case

British Subject Awarded Decision in H. M. Supreme Court; Costs Allowed

An Indian moneylender's claim against a British subject was dismissed by Judge Sir Allan Mossop in H.M. Supreme Court yesterday. Plaintiff in the case was Hari Singh, who described himself as proprietor of the New Sikh Store at 24 Miller Road, and his claim was for a sum of $2,543 which, he stated, was owing to him on a promissory note by George Serge Lamport, a British subject of French extraction. The money lent, he alleged, was $1,300 while the total sum claimed represented the capital sum with interest.

The only evidence taken at yesterday's hearing was that given by Patab Singh of 781 Point Road. He stated that he had known Mr. Lamport since 1934. The latter came to him at the end of June 1935 and as a result of what he said witness introduced Hari Singh to a man named Cammiade.

Later at witness's house Cammiade signed a promissory note for $1,300 in the presence of Hari Singh, Lamport, witness and witness's boy. Cammiade, he said, signed the note as borrower and Lamport signed as guarantor. Hari Singh and Cammiade went to plaintiff's shop where the money was to be handed over but witness did not accompany them. He added that the sum borrowed was $650 but a promissory note for double that amount had been written.

Lost Promissory Note

Partab Singh continued that the sum of $650 was repaid at his home in the early part of November, 1935, by Cammiade in the presence of Lamport, Hari Singh and himself. Hari Singh, stated witness, said that he could not find the promissory note but he signed a receipt for the full amount of $1,300 and this was given to Cammiade.

He added that the promissory note in question had been handed into Court during a claim brought against him by Hari Singh in 1937. He had received two papers from Mr. Abbey, Clerk of the Court, he said, but the promissory note was not given to him as stated by Mr. Abbey in his evidence.

Mr. Abbey, Partab Singh said, later asked him in the corridor, near the Court Registry, if he had got the promissory note and witness produced the two papers which had been given to him and stated that he had not received the note. He added "I never had it in my possession."

At the previous hearing of the case it was stated that the promissory note had been lost "probably from the Registry of the Court."

Address for Defence

In his address, Mr. K. E. Newman, for the defence, stated that this was a case where there was an absolute direct conflict of evidence and whatever His Lordship thought of the merits and demeanour of the various witnesses, the benefit of the doubt must be given to the person on whom the onus of proof rested.

His Lordship then remarked that he was quite satisfied that the burden of proof rested with Mr. Newman's client. Continuing, Mr. Newman stated that in this case the documentary evidence, which was the sole evidence of existence of that debt, had not been produced and that it rested upon the plaintiff to prove his case beyond all reasonable doubt. This he had not done nor had his story been substantiated in any way. He had also not proved that the defendant's story was incorrect.

For plaintiff, Mr. Ranald McDonald, in referring to a statement made by Lamport at the previous hearing that he had paid $1,300 to Hari Singh for the good name of his school and his own good name, stated "Has anyone heard more rank hypocrisy than that as it rolled off his tongue?"

Judgment

"I am compelled to suggest what has happened in this case," Mr. McDonald continued, "is that Lamport and Xavier (a previous witness) have conspired together to come and tell this wholly concocted story before this Court in to order to pervert the course of justice. As regards this question of perjury, by the defendant, if it could be proved, it means the probability of avoiding payment of this claim. It also means there is a very remote prospect of any unpleasantness if he was not believed. Xavier, as a Portuguese subject, does not come under the jurisdiction of this Court."

In giving judgment for defendant with costs, His Lordship stated that he accepted the submission that the onus was on the defendant to satisfy him that the money due on this promissory note had been repaid. He was satisfied by the evidence given for the defence that the note had been repaid and he had little hesitation in coming to this conclusion. He did not think that they would have heard of this case but for the fact that Lamport had been a witness against Hari Singh in the Court. Therefore he accepted the evidence of the defence.

Rent Arbitrations

The Committee of the Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce announces that all members of the panel of arbitrators in rental disputes have signified their willingness to give their services gratuitously, and as the result of this public-spirited attitude on the part of the panel of arbitrators no fees will have to be paid for arbitrators or umpires. In the circumstances, the Committee will charge a special fixed fee of $50 per arbitration, provision for the payment of which will be embodied in the awards made by Arbitrators.

Rice Situation Shows Improvement

Other Commodities Dearer, But Grain Getting Cheaper

Chinese banks in Shanghai have now received orders from the Ministry of Economics at Chungking requiring them to enlarge the scope of "commodity mortgage" activities so as to prevent unscrupulous merchants from hoarding goods which fact is said to be chiefly responsible for the increase of prices in Shanghai. According to a Chinese report the institutions are required to send reports to the Ministry regarding this matter.

Meanwhile, advertisements of increasing prices of many kinds of commodities continue to appear in the Chinese press but Chinese reports indicate that the rice situation here has definitely improved. Although the present prices are still very high, it is predicted that with the continuous arrival of supply no upward trend will be followed in the immediate future.

The new crop of rice in Chekiang, Kiangsu and Anhwei is now ready for the market. Merchants have negotiated for free transportation of rice to Shanghai. Rice has been arriving here by train and boats during the past few days from Quinsan, Changchow, Kashing, Wuhu and Sungkiang. It is estimated that about 8,000 bags or sometimes 15,000 bags of the grain are arriving here daily. Prices have therefore dropped.

This rice, however, comes from Kiangpeh and is an inferior kind of the grain. It is called "hsien mei" but as to the better grade of rice there has been little improvement in the situation. The "pai en" or the first grade rice is still priced between $32 and $35 per picul.

Anti-Tuberculosis Association

The Shanghai Anti-Tuberculosis Association acknowledges with thanks the following donations, gifts etc received during the month of September 1939:

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Mr. and Mrs. Ki-Chun (in memory of Lem Chun)	10.00
Federation of S'hai Charity Organisations	250.00
S'hai Refugee Relief Association	300.00
	CN$1,190.00
Previously Acknowledged	64,613.33
Total	CN$65,803.33

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Star of Hope Mission	US$ 11.13
Previously Acknowledged	2,189.50
Total	US$2,200.63

Gifts in kind received by the Tuberculosis Hospital:—American Advisory Committee (For Civilian Relief in China) Medical supplies; James Neil & Co., For making cracked wheat into bread. Refugee Children Nutritional Aid Committee, Daily supply of bean milk powder.

Mr. A. Tajiri Leaves Colony for Tokyo

Hongkong, Oct. 6.

Handing over his duties of consul-general to Mr. Katsuo Okazaki, Mr. Akiyoshi Tajiri, newly-appointed first secretary of the Japanese Embassy in Shanghai, left here for Tokyo at 8 o'clock this morning in the mv. Asama Maru. The vessel, which is not calling at Shanghai, is expected to arrive in Kobe on Monday.—Domei.

Rights in Western Area Protected

S.M.C. Affirms Resolute Attitude; Willingness To Consider Proposals

The Shanghai Municipal Council is not prepared to surrender any of its rights in the western extra-Settlement district, where now an impasse has existed for a month with regard to policing and other civic matters, it was stated yesterday afternoon by Mr. G. Godfrey Phillips, Secretary and Commissioner-General of the S.M.C.

Mr. Phillips said in an interview with the "North-China Daily News" that an impression had been created in some circles to the effect that the Council was gradually yielding to pressure brought to bear by the "Special Municipality" under Mr. Fu Siao-en, whose heavly-armed policemen and tax-collectors have appeared in the area in large numbers.

The Shanghai Municipal Council has spent large amounts of money on the building and upkeep of roads and on civic improvements generally in the district. It is felt that, as a highly desirable residential area has been created in the west, the ratepayers who have contributed to this development are to be fully protected against encroachments and that therefore the rights and interests of the Council are to be carefully guarded there.

Police Strength Trebled

Inquiries made by the "North-China Daily News" yesterday elicited the information that the Settlement Police strength operating in the outside roads area has been nearly trebled since the present emergency arose. Available men have been drawn from other districts to safeguard the residents west of Avenue Haig and every possible police precaution has been taken by Mr. R. W. Yorke, Assistant Commissioner and Divisional Officer, and his staff.

As a result of these arrangements, there are now three Settlement constables at every crossing up to 4 p.m., and five men from 4 o'clock until midnight. Police patrols, under foreigners or Indians, have been increased to six men in every instance. Besides, the S.V.C. armoured cars, operating in pairs, are a familiar sight on the outside roads.

The fullest co-operation exists between the Settlement Police and the British and Italian troops in whose defence sectors the outside roads are situated.

Negotiations Possible

It is understood that there has been no conference between Mr. Phillips and Mayor Fu Siao-en since the one held at Kiangwan nearly three weeks ago. It is stated, however, that the Settlement authorities are quite willing to consider any proposals that may be put forward by the Special Municipality in order to solve the present difficulties.

Committed for Trial on Wounding Charge

Before Mr. C. H. Haines, H.M. Registrar, in H.M. Police Court yesterday, Sodagar Singh, an Indian British subject was committed for trial after a lengthy hearing in which he was charged with maliciously wounding another Indian, Jetha Singh.

The first charge was that he maliciously wounded Jetha Singh, contrary to Section 18 of the Offences Against the Persons Act, and the second count was one of wounding with intent to cause grievous bodily harm, contrary to Section 20 of the same act. Mr. E. T. Maitland, for Sodagar Singh, reserved his defence. Mr. P. Watkin Williams appeared for the prosecution.

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Chinese Trade with U.S. Improves

September Figure Shows Big Increase on August; Trade Policy Succeeding

As a result of official encouragement by the Chinese Government which has tried to adapt itself to the present European conflict, Chinese merchants have been exporting native goods to the United States so extensively that during the past month exports to that country has topped the figures of exports to all other countries, Chinese reports state. China's export trade with the United States has enjoyed a sudden boom as Chinese authorities have readjusted the international trade situation in regard to the European situation.

Export trade with the United States has steadily increased as a result of the new policy carried out by the Foreign Trade Committee. In January of this year, the export figure was $9,228,019 but since then the same figure has shown an increase, the reports indicate. The August export trade figure is stated to be $19,624,501 but during the last month (September) the same figure reached the $20,000,000 mark. The exports from Hongkong alone amounted to $5,000,000 and the President Liners have always been busy shipping Chinese goods to America.

It is pointed out however, that the American trade with Chinese has also been increased. American cotton, metal and mineral goods, machinery, trucks, wheat and flour, fruit and tobacco have been shipped to this country in large quantities. From January to August of this year, the United States exported $149,956,000 worth of goods to this country showing an increase of $41,670,000 as compared with the figure for the corresponding period of the previous year. British, French and German trade with China has been hard hit by the European conflict giving a chance to the American export trade to develop, it is stated.

Indian Air Force Reserve

London, Oct. 5.

The Information Ministry late this evening announced that a Colonial Reserve for the Indian Air Force was created.—Havas.

Vaccination to Be Made Compulsory

All Residents of Japanese Areas Affected

All Japanese residents of Shanghai, as well as all Chinese and other residents in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Special Municipality of Shanghai, will have to undergo compulsory vaccination against smallpox beginning October 17, the "Shanghai Mainichi" reported yesterday.

This decision was reached by the Japanese Committee for the Prevention of Epidemics in Shanghai at a meeting on Thursday afternoon at the Nippon Club, Boone Road, the daily said.

More than 40 persons attended the committee meeting on Thursday when reports on cholera prevention, the inspection of junks and other vessels plying the Yangtze, Woosung and Soochow creeks for cholera cases, quarantine measures enforced against vessels on the Tsingtao-Shanghai run and future plans to combat the epidemic were made, the newspaper added.

Plans for the compulsory isolation of typhoid cases as well as the financing of such measures were also aired, according to the newspaper. The Committee later was host to more than 100 representatives of several organizations in Shanghai which had helped in the recent successful cholera prevention campaign. Included were the Asia Development Board, the Dojinkai, the various Army clearing hospitals, the Japanese Consulate-General, the Shanghai Special Municipality, the Shanghai Municipal Council, the Maritime Customs, the Japanese Residents' Corporation and others, the Mainichi stated.

Divorce Action in British Court

A decree *nisi* was awarded to Mrs. K. Nishida Watson in H.M. Supreme Court yesterday by Judge Sir Allan Mossop in a divorce petition against Francis Hotchkiss Watson. Represented by Mr. Ranald McDonald, the petitioner, a former Japanese subject, was allowed to give evidence by affidavit from Japan. The respondent, although born in Scotland, was held to be domiciled in China.

Gestapo Tries New Trick To Control Public

Paris, Oct. 5.

A new trick to catch would be German listeners to foreign broadcasts was adopted today by the Gestapo (German secret police), according to a Zurich message to the "Paris Soir." A small advertisement, offering "bargains in second-hand radios capable of receiving all European stations," was inserted in a German daily newspaper, and all who visited the shop indicated to buy one of the sets left between two gentlemen.—Reuter.

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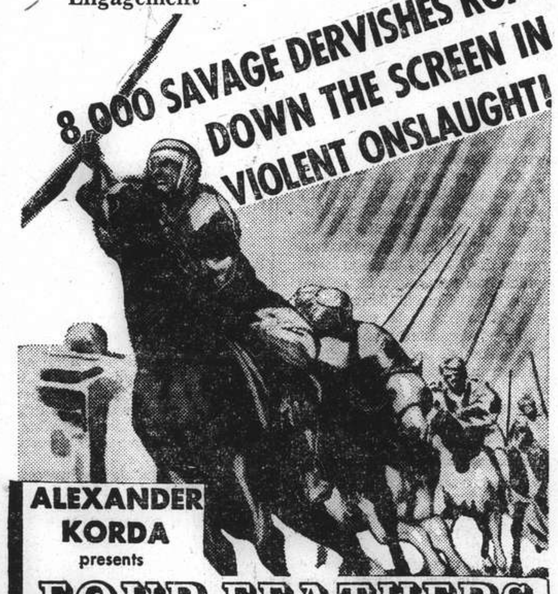

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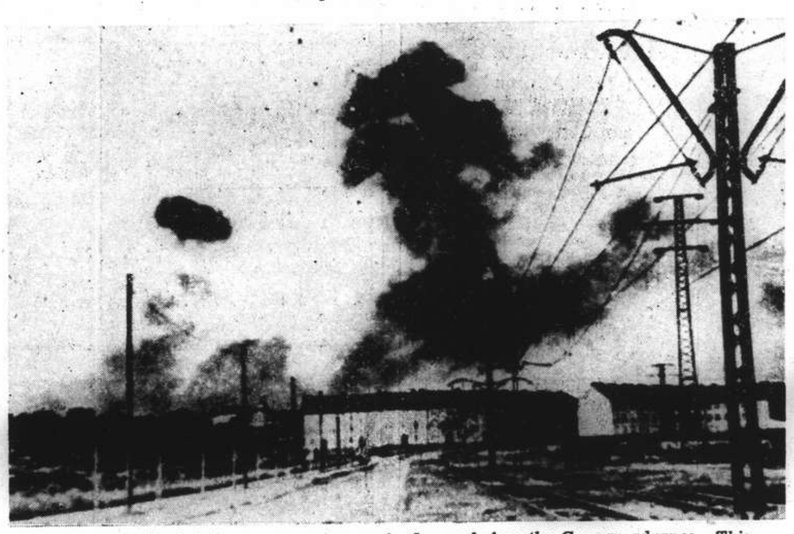
German bombers attack a Polish ammunition train causing terrific damage as may be seen in this picture. A number of direct hits completely destroyed the train.

Polish troops in their trenches, watch one of their tanks advancing towards the German lines.

Several large Polish tanks may be seen here moving towards the enemy lines in an effort to stop the German advance. Difficult terrain was negotiated after heavy rainfalls.

Doomed to die are these three Polish snipers who were rounded up by the German mounted trooper in the background. Thousands of civilians were thus arrested and killed.



Dirschau, Poland, is here seen going up in flames before the German advance. This picture was flown by Clipper to New York and then to Shanghai.

Polish prisoners being led to work. Many of them, as may be seen from this picture, are Jews. All able-bodied men were forced to work for the German troops.

This is the first picture to reach Shanghai of the landing of passengers of the Athenia which was torpedoed by a German submarine while on its way to the United States.

This bridge at Dirschau, Poland, was destroyed by the retreating Poles so as to put further obstacles in the way of the invaers.

This extraordinary picture was taken from the decks of the Washington which saved the crew of the torpedoed British freighter Olivegrove.

Japan Imbroglio Unsolved

Virtually Whole of Foreign Office Staff Resign; Press Support Admiral Nomura

Tokyo, Oct. 6.

PRACTICALLY the whole Foreign Office staff, including 300 subordinate officials, have handed in their resignations over the decision of the Cabinet to create a Trade Ministry, which will, *inter alia*, absorb the Commercial Bureau of the Foreign Office.

Meanwhile, both the authorities and the dissenters in the Foreign Office continue adamantly to uphold their respective viewpoints.

It is understood that the Cabinet is adopting a "wait-and-see" attitude. Semi-official circles here are of the opinion that the new Foreign Minister, Admiral Nomura, will be able to settle the dispute satisfactorily.

Foreign Office officials hold that all matters requiring diplomatic negotiation must be retained under the jurisdiction of the Commercial Affairs Bureau of the Foreign Office, instead of being handed over to the new Trade Ministry. The next few days, it is believed, will show whether some compromise will be possible.

A committee of four, representing the dissenters, interviewed Admiral Nomura yesterday afternoon and stressed that the projected Trade Ministry entirely ignored the inseparability of political and economic diplomacy abroad and was, therefore, absolutely unacceptable from the standpoint of State policy.

Admiral Nomura Adamant

They requested Admiral Nomura to "reconsider his attitude" and to insist to the Cabinet on the necessity of "unified diplomacy."

Admiral Nomura replied that he was unable to accept this viewpoint, and said the dissenters were exceeding their duties as permanent officials.

A meeting of representatives was called last night by the Foreign Ministry. They were again urged to remain at their posts and to accept the Trade Ministry programme, as adopted by the Cabinet.

After the meeting, which was held at 11.30 p.m., Admiral Nomura issued the following statement to the press!

"I have listened to the delegation of Foreign Office officials for over an hour and have told them my views. However, some of the younger members of the staff appeared to be very stiff and I do not know whether I have succeeded in convincing them or not.

"I cannot say whether there has been a serious clash or not, but in any case, I am prepared to cope with the situation."

In conclusion, the Foreign Minister expressed the view that "there was no cause for much worry."

A large amount of space was devoted today to the Foreign Office imbroglio by the Japanese press. The "Asahi, while seeing the cause and expressing sympathy for the stand taken by the dissenters, declares that they should obey the Cabinet's decision.

The "Nichi Nichi" urges Admiral Nomura to purge all "misguided" officials.

It is outrageous, declares the "Hochi Shimbun," that officials should object to a Cabinet decision when national unity and harmony is being emphasized under a war-time situation.

The "Yomiuri Shimbun" says: "The trouble is regrettable, but whatever may be the reason for the controversy, national unity is desirable under an emergency situation."

The "Kokumin Shimbun" describes the incident as unpardonable. Whatever the reason for the disagreement, it adds, Admiral Nomura must accept full responsibility.

The "Miyako Shimbun" decries "hasty behaviour by bureaucrats" and declares that Admiral Nomura should take definite measures to show his ability.—Reuter.

Luxembourg Suggested As Red Cross Zone

Luxembourg, Oct. 5.

A suggestion that Luxembourg be made a centre for wounded soldiers of both sides in the war was forwarded to France and Germany today by M. Joseph Bech, Foreign Minister of this Grand Duchy, after receipt from the Luxembourg Red Cross headquarters which had received a large sum from the United States and wished to put it to use.

It also suggested that Luxembourg Radio's broadcasts should be retransmitted and placed at the disposal of the International Red Cross to inform soldiers' families of their menfolk's welfare.—Havas.

Britain's Bulldog Grip in War

"Slow to Show Anger But Once He Gets His Teeth in Nothing But Death . . ."

Tokyo, Oct. 6.

"You all have heard about the British bulldog. He is slow to show anger but when once he gets his teeth into his opponent nothing but death will make him loose his hold." This was the description made by Lieut.-Col. Brian P. Mullali, military attaché to the British Embassy here, of "the grim determination on the British people both in England and throughout the Empire to continue this war and to make any sacrifices which are required to bring it to a successful conclusion."

Lieut.-Col. Mullali has just assumed his post, succeeding Maj.-Gen. F.S.G. Piggott, who was recalled by his Government. Lieut.-Col Mullali stayed in Japan from 1922 to 1925 as a language officer.

"Having been in England until September 9," Lieut.-Col Mullali said in his first press conference, "I am able to tell something of conditions during the momentous week preceding the outbreak of the war.

"As you know, Europe for long has lain under the threat of German aggression. At Munich, our Prime Minister had come to an agreement which, it was hoped, would help solve the problem of Europe. Then came the occupation of Czechoslovakia and it became clear that Germany's pledged word was not worth the paper it was written on.

Guarantees Left No Doubt

"Guarantees which Britain and France gave to Poland were plain and left no room for doubt that in the event of an attack on Poland, Britain and France would go to her assistance. The issue of peace or war lay with Germany and, as you know Germany, chose war. Germany invaded Poland and in pursuance of our pledged word we were at war."

Describing the situation in India, where he has been a resident military officer, Lieut.-Col Mullali said, "The Princes have placed the resources of their states entirely at the disposal of the British Government in men, money and supplies and the Indian Army is ready to meet any possible threat to India or to operate wherever it is required."

Intensification of A.R.P. Urged

British Public Reminded To Carry Gas Masks

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 6.

The British Government has urged local Councils to speed up the building of public shelters and the distribution of iron shelters to individual households against air raids. The Government has broadcast a warning that shelters may be necessary one day.

It is disclosed that the Lord Mayor's Show may be cancelled for the first time in 109 years owing to the danger of possible injuries to crowds in air raids. The Lord Mayor's Show is usually held in the city on November 9.

The authorities here have relaxed restrictions to permit theatres and cinemas to operate until later in the evening. The Government has warned the public against forgetting to carry gas masks. Alarm is expressed over the number of gas-mask slackers."—Reuter.

Royal Asiatic Society Winter Season

Fortnightly Meetings To Be Resumed

With the arrival of cool weather the Royal Asiatic Society is resuming its regular fortnightly meetings, at which lectures on a variety of interesting subjects will be delivered. The first meeting will be held on Thursday, October 12, at 5.30 p.m. in the Auditorium of the Society's building at 20 Museum Road, when a lecture on "A New Approach to the Chinese Language" will be delivered by the well known authority Dr. E. Reisler of Chiao Tung University. As with all the Society's meetings this will be open to the public and non-members are welcomed.

On October 26 Dr Bernard E. Read, Vice-President of the Society, will deliver a lecture entitled "China, the Land of Silk." It will be illustrated with lantern slides.

Other lectures will be presented at regular fortnightly intervals, the subjects to be announced later. On December 7 the Society will hold the second of its annual soirees, to which members will be able to invite guests for what is hoped will prove a very enjoyable evening. Those who attended the first soiree, held last December, will look forward with pleasurable anticipation to this important social event.

The annual meeting of the Society will be held some time in January, when the year's activities will be reviewed and the reports of the Society's officers will be presented. These, together with various interesting papers on subjects connected with China and the Far East generally, will be published in the Society's annual "Journal," which will be issued in February.

Although the Society has held no meetings during the summer months it has not been altogether dormant. Its museum and Library have remained open to the public, the former being visited by large numbers of children and adults interested in the fine exhibits of animal forms and geological, ethnological, archaeological and art objects on display. The library, consisting mainly of useful reference works on China and East Asia, has been extensively used by research students.

The campaign launched last spring to remove the Society's burdensome debt has slowed down somewhat during the summer months, although several most welcome donations have been received from well wishers abroad. The Society's sincere thanks are offered to donors whose names are listed below:

Previously acknowledged	$12,725.61
Barbour, Dr. Thomas	512.59
Willard, D. W.	283.29
Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal	251.44
Morgan, Dr. Evan	200.00
Blackburn, Sir A. D.	150.00
Phillips, S. W.	149.33
Edmondston, D. C.	116.00
Sale of Dr. B. E. Read's Common Food Fishes of Shanghai"	104.30
Brown, I. S. (Supplementary donation)	75.00
Hughes, A. J.	25.00
Coulling, Mrs. C. E. (Supplementary)	25.00
Naturalists' Club of Shanghai	7.58
	$14,445.14

Commons Reports on War Progress

London, Oct. 5.

The Air Minister, Sir Kingsley Wood, and the War Secretary, Mr. Leslie Hore-Belisha, would speak in the House of Commons on next Tuesday and Thursday respectively. Mr. Neville Chamberlain announced today. He himself is to make his usual weekly declaration in the House on Wednesday.—Havas.

Japanese Smugglers to Be Tried

Alleged to Have Sold Canteen Supplies

Four Japanese, who sold commodities imported without the payment of Chinese Maritime Customs duties in Nanking, will soon face a court martial, the Shanghai "Mainichi" reported here yesterday. They were arrested by the Japanese gendarmerie on Wednesday.

The quartet, the newspaper said, were alleged to have been selling to the public goods, such as beer, sake, aerated waters and candy, brought to China from Japan for sale by canteens to the Japanese forces. They were consequently imported duty-free. Three other Japanese who amassed huge profits by selling gasoline, Japanese wine and other military supplies also were court martialled following their arrest on April 18, the newspaper stated.

Slayers of Wang Aide Given Seven-Year Term

Hongkong, Oct. 6.

Three Chinese, convicted of the murder of Dr. Tseng Chung-ming, close associate of Mr. Wang Ching-wei, chairman of the Central Executive Committee of the Orthodox Kuomintang, were sentenced to seven years of penal servitude by the Supreme Court at Hanoi on September 24, a mail dispatch reaching here today said.

The defendants, the report said, claimed that they did not intend to kill Dr. Tseng, still less Mrs. Tseng. They said they aimed at Mr. Wang and had killed Dr. Tseng by mistake. —Domei.

Shanghai Stock Exchange Official Weekly Share Report with Closing Quotations, Oct. 6, 1939

REPORT No. 40/1939 for week ending Oct. 6 (Friday), compiled by the Shanghai Stock Exchange

Comparative Opening Cash Prices: This Friday Morning Oct. 6, 1939 Buyers	Sellers	Last Sales	Nom.	Last Friday Morning Sept. 29, 1939 Buyers	Sellers	Last Sales	Nom.	Business Recorded During Week Closing To-Day, Friday Noon Highest	Lowest	STOCK	Authorised Capital (No. of Shares)	Issued Capital (No. of Shares)	Paid up Value (or Face Value)	Fin. Year ends	Last Dividends, etc.	Paid or due	Business Done Year 1938 Highest	Lowest	Business Done Year 1939 Highest	Lowest	Total No. of Shares Done for Last Week	This Week	Total Amount of Sales Reported 1938	6-10-39
										Banks, Finance Companies														
....	....	14	....	....	....	14	....	....	....	Central Properties, Ltd.	5,000,000	180,000	$10	Dec.	Div. 15% 1938	23-1-39	13 Oct	13 Oct	18 Jan	11 Feb	200	....	1,000	48,400
....	....	10	....	....	....	10	....	....	....	China Bond & Share Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	200,000	120,000	$10	Dec.	Int. Div. 4% a/c 1939	15-4-39	9 Oct	9 Oct	10 Jan	10 Jan	....	....	20	11,000
....	....	0.20	....	....	....	0.20	....	....	....	China Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	400,000	400,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $0.50 a/c 1938	14-3-39	0.50 Mar	0.20 June	0.47½ Feb	0.20 July	....	....	1,000	19,000
....	....	....	*1,279	....	....	....	*1,279	....	....	Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp.	400,000	160,000	H $125	Dec.	Int. Div. £2.10-0 a/c 1939 Less I/T	4-5-34	2.85 Dec	1 Nov	5.65 Oct	2.37½ Feb	61,300	16,200	31,710	682,571
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	Inter. Invest. Trust Co. of China, Ltd.	2,000,000	350,000	T10	Mar.	Div. $0.75, 1934 (Nil 1938-39)	17-2-39	6.50 Dec	3.20 June	7.75 June	5.10 Sept	21,650	45,300	283,220	629,329
5.25	5.35	5.25	....	5	....	5.05	....	5.65	4.90	Shanghai Loan & Investment Co., Ltd.	250,000	250,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $0.55 a/c 1938	11-5-39	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
6.90	....	7	....	7	7.25	7.15	....	7.45	6.90	Union Mobiliere	100,000	100,000	$20	Dec.	3½% for 1938	3-7-39	6.70 Dec	3 Jan	8.60 June	5 Aug	8,255	53,260	45,305	221,770
....	....	....	17.80	....	....	....	17.80	....	....	Yangtsze Finance Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	517,500	T10	Mar.	Div. $0.50 a/c 1938-39									
7.30	7.40	7.30	....	7	7.20	7	....	7.95	7.10															
										Insurances														
....	....	3	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	American-Asiatic Underwriters (ord.)	75,000	75,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.40, 1934 (1938 Nil)	15-3-35	3 Dec	2.50 Dec.	3.10 Jan	3 Jan	....	....	2,720	4,200
85	....	....	90	....	....	....	75	....	....	Asia Life Insurance Co.	100,000	40,000	$5	Dec.	Div. 10% = G $0.50, 1938	11-9-39	....	....	70 Jan	70 Jan	....	....	....	200
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	90	....	....	Assurance Franco-Asiatique	70,000	70,000	F100	Dec.	Div. 5%, 1938	10-5-39	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
10	....	9.80	....	....	....	9.80	....	10.50	10.30	International Assurance Co., Ltd.	933,333	280,000	10/-	Dec.	Div. $0.30, 1933 (Nil 1938)	18-5-34	4.60 Dec.	1.90 June	11.10 June	7.50 Apr	....	1,800	104,485	93,064
....	....	*385	....	....	....	*385	....	365	365	Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd.	200,000	135,000	£6	Dec.	Int. Div. 12/6d a/c 1939	Pending	560 Mar	475 Dec	480 Mar	365 Oct	....	5	1,863	697
										Lands														
....	....	120	....	....	....	120	....	....	....	Anglo-French Land Invest. Co., Ltd.	25,000	19,335	T100	Feb.	Int. Div. $2.00 a/c 1939-40	Pending	160 June	145 Mar	145 Mar	120 Sept	....	....	3	268
....	....	1.10	....	....	....	1	....	1.10	1.10	Cathay Land Co., Ltd.	500,000	480,374	T10	Dec.	Final 2% = $0.28 (Mkg. 6% 1933) (Nil 1938)	5-5-34	3 Mar	1.60 Dec	1.70 Mar	1 May	....	3,500	42,000	59,450
....	....	0.40	....	0.29	....	0.20	....	0.41	0.30	China Realty Co. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	800,000	500,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $0.15 a/c 1934	20-2-35	1.20 Dec.	0.50 Aug	1 Jan	0.25 Aug	5,000	34,050	77,400	228,401
....	....	....	200	....	....	....	200	....	....	Foncière et Immobilière de Chine	20,000	20,000	T100	Dec.	Final Div. $10.00 (Mkg. $15.00 a/c 1938)	3-3-39	....	....	180 Mar	180 Mar	....	....	....	48
....	....	....	4.80	....	....	....	4.80	....	....	Metropolitan Land Co., Ltd. "A"	500,000	135,018	T10	Sept.	Div. $0.80, 1934 (Nil 1938)	28-11-34	4.90 Dec	4.30 Dec	4.80 Jan	4.20 Feb	....	....	5,970	9,150
....	....	....	4.80	....	....	....	4.80	....	....	do. "B"		805,007	T10	Mar.	Div. 2% = $0.28, 1933 (Nil 1938)	28-11-34	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	San Sing Properties, Ltd.	2,000,000	2,386,800	($7) T5	Dec.	Fin. 4% = $0.28 (Mkg. Tls 0.50 1934) (Nil 1938)	16-3-33	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	8.80	8.80	....	8.40	8.50	8.50	....	8.80	8.50	Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	2,386,800	2,386,800	($7) T5	Dec.	Fin. 4% = $0.28 (Mkg. Tls 0.50 1934) (Nil 1938)	25-4-35	10 Dec	6.20 Jan	10.70 June	7.60 Aug	10,900	22,840	260,690	369,134
....	....	....	99½	....	....	....	99½	....	....	Tientsin Land Investment Co., Ltd.	120,000	64,281	$50	Dec.	Final 2% (Mkg. 15% 1938)	15-2-39	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
										Docks, Wharves and Transport													
12.10	12.30	12.10	....	9.25	9.50	9.30	....	12.60	9.35	New Eng. & Shipbuilding Works, Ltd. (ord.)	500,000	494,851	T5	Dec.	Div. $0.35 a/c 1938	16-1-39	6.10 Dec	3 Feb	12.60 Oct	5.60 Jan	49,071	118,412	140,952	674,634
....	....	140	....	126	....	125	....	149	130	Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,700	55,200	T25	Dec.	Int. Div. $4 a/c 1939	1-6-39	131 Aug	85 Nov	149 Oct	93.50 Feb	650	258	15,701	12,613
....	....	220	....	215	225	220	....	220	220	Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co., Ltd.	60,000	60,000	T100	Dec.	Int. Div. $10 a/c 1939	30-8-39	190 Aug	145 Jan	250 June	170 Jan	75	220	1,950	9,652
44½	44½	44½	....	39½	39½	39	....	46.75	38.50	Wheelock & Co., Ltd.	1,000,000	238,362	T10	Mar.	Fin. Div. $5.00 (Mkg. $7.50 a/c 1938-39)	Pending	35 Dec	12 Feb	46.75 Oct	28 Sept	23,926	58,000	173,930	446,017
										Utilities														
....	21½	21½	....	....	....	20½	....	21.50	21	China General Omnibus Co., Ltd.	500,000	200,000	T10	Dec.	Fin. Div. $0.70 (Mkg. $1.26 a/c 1938)	20-4-39	25 Dec	13 Apr	32.25 June	18.50 Aug	3,930	4,200	11,608	66,429
....	....	....	9.75	8.75	....	....	9.75	....	....	Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd.	700,000	560,000	$10	Dec.	Div. 6% 1938	2-5-39	8.50 Aug	6.50 July	10.40 Mar	8 Feb	....	....	5,273	12,548
....	....	12	....	....	....	12	....	....	....	Shanghai Telephone Company	1,200,000	1,151,420	$10	Dec.	Div. $4.25 a/c 1938	3-6-39	69 Dec(old	41 Feb(old)	14 Aug	10.60 July	2,770	990	2,334	103,622
....	....	13	....	....	....	13	....	....	....	S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ltd. "Reg."							38.25 Dec	26 Feb	40 June	36 Sept	....	....	5,408	4,789
....	....	20	....	....	....	20	....	....	....	do. "Bearer"	700,000	670,000	£1	Dec.	Div. 8% a/c 1938 Coupon 56	25-4-39	39.25 Dec	25 Jan.	44.75 June	36 Sept	4,010	11,470	76,482	209,190
13.60	14	13.60	....	13.80	14	14	....	13.80	13.60	Chinese Engr. & Mining Co., Ltd. "A"	40,236	40,236	£20	Dec.	Int. Div. 1% = 4/- a/c 1939 Coupon 51	27-9-39	650 Aug	367½ Feb	805 Aug	620 Jan	45	28	2,376	2,887
....	....	....	40½	....	....	....	40½	....	....	do. "B"			£1	Dec.	Int. Div. 2.4d a/c 1939 Coupon 24	27-9-39	28 Aug	15.75 Feb	33.50 Aug	26 Apr	100	600	5,493	8,502
38½	....	39	....	38½	....	39	....	39	38	S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. "A"	359,280	{108,505												
730	750	725	....	....	....	....	725XD	745	725	do. "B"		{250,000	£1	Dec.	Int. Div. 2.4d a/c 1939 Coupon 20	27-9-39	29 Aug	16 Feb	33 Sept	26.25 Mar	....	300	5,420	8,476
....	....	32½	....	....	....	....	32½XD	32.50	32.50	do. "C"														
....	....	33	....	....	....	....	32½XD	33	32.75															
										Miscellaneous														
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8½	....	....	Auto Palace Co., Ltd.	150,000	118,500	$8	Dec.	Fin. Div. $2.00 (Mkg. $4.00 a/c 1938)	27-3-39	9 Nov	5 June	13 Mar	8.50 May	....	....	4,090	14,620
7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	Bakerite Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A. "B"	50,000	49,703	$10	Dec.	Div. $0.85 a/c 1938	20-3-39	12.25 Dec.	6 Aug	12.60 June	12 Aug.	....	....	449	3,290
....	....	12	....	....	....	12	....	....	....	Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. (ord.)	200,000	140,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.40 a/c 1938	26-4-39	....	....	13 June	11 Mar	....	....	....	7,435
....	....	13	....	....	....	13	....	....	....	China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd.	500,000	231,803	T10	Feb.	Fin. Div. $2.24 (Mkg. $2.80 a/c 1938-39)	12-5-39	15 Aug	12 June	23.50 June	19 June	....	....	2,059	9,495
....	....	20	....	....	....	20	....	....	....	Chinese Engr. & Mining Co., Ltd. "Bearer"	2,000,000	1,960,000	£1	June	Fin. Div. 7½% a/c 1937-38 Free of I/T Coupon 45	16-1-39	27.50 Dec	16 June	47.75 Aug	22.25 Jan	1,530	860	103,785	146,748
....	41	39	....	....	40½	....	40	....	39	Chosen Corporation, Ltd.	750,000	725,000	£1	June	Div. 1/- (Mkg. 1/9d. 1937) Less I/T	15-1-38	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	Culty Dairy Co., Ltd.	40,000	40,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1. a/c 1934-35 (Nil 1938)	27-11-35	20 Aug	12 Jan	21.50 May	19 Jan	....	....	980	320
....	....	....	25	....	....	....	25	....	....	Champ Course Francais French (French Race Course) non-French	30,000	30,000	$20	Dec.	Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1938)	1-3-35	37.50 Sept	37.50 Sept	....	....	....	....	70	....
....	....	....	55	....	....	....	55	....	....	do. Founders				Dec.	Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1938)	1-3-35	40 Nov	32.50 May	....	....	....	....	1,645	....
....	....	....	55	....	....	....	55	....	....			6,490	Free	Dec.	Div. $4.62 a/c 1934 (Nil 1938)	1-3-35	60 Dec	55 Apr	80 Mar	80 Mar	....	....	606	100
....	....	....	110	....	....	....	110	....	....	do.	28,000	26,342	$20	Feb.	Div. 5% = $1. 1934-35 (1938-39 Nil)	30-5-35	10 Mar	8 Dec	12.50 July	8 Feb	....	....	1,890	1,316
....	....	12½	....	....	....	12½	....	....	....	Hall & Holtz, Ltd.	1,500,000	1,193,867	H $7.50	Dec.	Div. H. $0.60 a/c 1938	15-3-39	7.25 Sept	6.30 Apr	5 Apr	5 Apr	....	....	1,000	500
....	....	....	*5	....	....	*5	....	....	....	Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.	75,000	45,000	$10	Feb.	Fin. Div. $1.00 (Mkg. $1.50 a/c 1938-39)	30-6-39	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	14½	....	....	....	14½	....	....	Kelly & Walsh, Ltd.	100,000	30,000	T10	Dec.	Fin. Div. $1.25 (Mkg. $2.25 a/c 1938)	8-3-39	....	....	12 May	12 May	....	....	....	200
....	....	12	....	....	....	12	....	....	....	Mark L. Moody, Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	2,000,000	250,000	$5	Dec.			7.25 Dec	4.50 Aug	10.70 Oct	4.50 Sept	81,350	58,050	125,230	423,685
10.40	10.50	10.60	....	9.90	10	10	....	10.80	9.70	Metal Industries of China, Ltd.	300,000	110,000	$4	Dec.	Div. 3% = $0.12 a/c 1938	21-4-39	....	....	2 Mar	1.50 June	....	....	....	1,900
....	....	1.50	....	1.50	....	....	1.50	....	....	Millington, Ltd.	80,000	60,000	T8.50	Dec.	Div. Tls. 0.40 = $0.56, a/c 1932 (Nil 1938)	21-4-33	3 May	3 May	....	....	....	....	750	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	Office Appliance Co., Ltd.	1,200,000	716,701	T2.50	Dec.	Int. Div. $0.30 a/c 1939	11-8-39	8.45 Dec	2 June	8.50 May	4.50 Aug	39,750	34,040	633,756	901,194
....	....	3	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	S'hai Exploration & Development Co., Ltd.	35,000	23,000	T10	Dec.	Fin. Div. 5% (Mkg. 10% a/c 1938)	18-4-38	7.50 Dec	7.50 Dec	....	....	....	....	425	....
....	....	7	7	6.85	7	6.25	....	7.15	6.70	S'hai Vacuum Cleaning & Storage Co., Ltd.	500,000	301,765	T1	Dec.	Div. 8% (= $0.11) 1935 (Nil 1938)	17-3-36	1 Nov	0.50 Sept	1.50 May	1 Apr	1,000	1,000	11,888	22,386
....	....	....	....	....	....	5.30	....	....	....	S'hai Waterworks Fittings Co., Ltd.	500,000	200,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.35, 1933 (Nil 1938)	27-5-34	6 June	6 June	....	....	....	....	1,000	....
....	....	1.50	....	....	....	1.25	....	1.50	1.50	Union Brewery, Ltd.														
....	....	....	6	....	....	....	6	....	....															
										Bonds and Preferences														
....	....	20	....	....	....	20	....	....	....	American-Asiatic Underwriters, Cum. Pref. 8%	5,000	5,000	T100	Dec.	4% = $5.59 for ½ year ended Dec. 31, 1934	31-12-34	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	20	....	....	....	20	....	....	....	do. Cum. Pref. 7%	7,500	7,500	T100	Dec.	3½ = = $4.89 for ½ year ended 31-3-35	1-4-35	....	....	50 Feb	50 Feb	....	....	....	317
....	....	13½	....	....	....	13½	....	13.60	13.60	do. Cum. Pref. 7%	100,000	80,000	T10	Dec.	Div. 8% = $1.12 for 1938	26-4-39	13 Oct	12 Aug	14 Mar	13.25 Mar	....	300	10,800	2,015
....	....	....	3.60	....	....	....	3.60	....	....	Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	600,000	205,125	T5	Dec.	Quarterly Div. Tls. 0.10 = $0.14, 1933	30-12-33	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	140	....	....	....	140	....	....	....	Ch. Finance Corp. Fed. Inc. U.S.A. (Pref.) 8%	10,000	9,000	T100	Dec.	Div. T.s. 8 = $11.19, 1938	27-4-39	153 Dec	137 June	155 Mar	140 July	....	....	826	684
....	....	....	6.90	....	....	....	6.90	....	....	Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	500,000	144,500	T5	Dec.	1½% (Mkg. 8% a/c 1935) 8% for 1936, 1937 & 1938	16-1-39	8 Dec	4.75 June	8.20 Jan	6.25 Jan	....	....	32,398	20,422
....	123½	123½	....	124½	....	125	....	124.75	122.50	New Engr. & Shipbg. Works, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	230,000	220,000	T100	Dec.	3rd Quarterly Div. Tls. 1.50 = $2.0979, a/c 1939	12-10-39	125 Aug	90.50 Feb	134 June	112 Aug	223	908	23,646	42,278
....	....	50	....	....	....	50	....	....	....	S'hai Power Co. Tls. 6 cum. Pref. stock	200,000	10,000	T50	Dec.	Fin. Tls. 1.75 = $2.44 (Mkg. 7% 1938)	20-3-39	14.25 Dec	13 Oct	15 May	13.50 June	....	....	2,270	2,150
....	....	....	13	....	....	....	13	....	....	Shanghai Tug Lighter Co., Ltd. 7% pref.	100,000	100,000	T10	Dec.	3½ = $0.49 for half year ended 30-6-39	27-9-39	13.75 Dec	12 Feb	14 Apr	12 Aug	1,210	....	730	4,865
....	....	12.55	....	....	....	12.55	....	....	....	S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. 7% cum. pref.	100,000	100,000	T10	Dec.	3¼% = $0.45 for half year ended 30-6-39									
										do. 6½% cum. pref.														
										Cottons														
19.60	19.70	19.70	....	19.30	19.40	19.50	....	19.90	18.90	Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd., Ordinary	2,000,000	1,350,000	T5	Dec.	Fin. Div. $2.75 (Mkg. $3.50 a/c 1938)	27-4-39	20.20 Aug	9 Jan	22.20 June	15.60 Jan	57,225	77,205	982,488	2,015,975
....	....	163	....	145	....	157	....	163	157	Shanghai Cotton Mfg. Co., Ltd.	240,000	240,000	$50	Apr.	Div. $2.50 & Bonus $1.25 for ½ yr. ended 30-4-39	29-5-39	111 Dec	56 Jan	163 Oct	101 Feb	350	150	2,732	5,626
....	....	43	....	....	....	43	....	....	....	Tung Yih Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	170,000	170,000	$10	Dec.	Div. $2.50 & Bonus $2.50 & Spec. Div. $5 a/c 1938	12-4-39	....	....	43 July	40 July	....	....	....	200
....	....	....	42	....	....	....	42	....	....	Zoong Sing Cotton Mills, Ltd.	200,000	150,000	T10	June	Div. $7.50 & Bonus $7.50 a/c 1938-39	Pending	29.75 Sept	29.75 Sept	42 Mar	42 Mar	....	....	1,000	100
										Plantations														
....	33	32½	....	31	32	31	....	33	30.50	Alma Estates, Ltd.	70,000	70,000	(Tls. 9) £1	Sept.	Int. Div. $0.50 a/c 1938-39	28-6-39	20 Oct	15 Feb	33 Sept	18 Feb	600	2,000	2,795	10,500
....	....	16.30	....	16.60	16.90	16.60	....	16.50	16.20	Anglo-Dutch (Java) Plantations, Ltd.	400,000	350,000	10s	Dec.	Int. Div. $0.20 a/c 1939	30-8-39	10.20 Oct	6.40 Feb	16.80 Sept	8.60 May	5,300	1,200	12,647	86,562
....	....	32½	....	32	33	32½	....	33.25	31	Anglo-Java Estates, Ltd.	500,000	496,000	10s	Dec.	Int. Div. $0.75 a/c 1939	6-9-39	16.50 Oct	11 Feb	35 Sept	15.80 Feb	8,350	10,830	43,855	240,078
5.60	....	5.50	....	5.50	....	5.50	....	5.55	5.50	Ayer Tawah Rub. Plantation Co., Ltd.	500,000	335,499	T1	Sept.	Fin. Div. $0.15 (Mkg. $0.25, 1937-38)	28-12-38	5.60 Oct	4 May	5.80 Aug	4.20 May	....	673	12,862	12,947
....	6.05	6.05	....	6.02	6.05	6.05	....	....	....	Batu Anam (Johore) Rub. Ests., Ltd.	960,000	960,000	T0.10	Dec.	Fin. Div. $0.04 (Mkg. $0.10 a/c 1937) (Nil 1938)	18-8-39	4 Oct	3 June	7.50 Sept	3.10 Jan	500	5,300	31,250	152,795
....	....	....	....	....	7.20	7	....	7.15	7	Bute Plantations (1913), Ltd.	500,000	353,698	T1	Dec.	Int. Div. $0.15 a/c 1939	27-9-39	1.50 Oct	0.70 Jan	1.75 Sept	1.04 Apr	6,000	5,000	212,331	317,981
....	....	1.65	....	....	....	1.70	....	1.67	1.66	Chemor United Rubber Co., Ltd.	1,200,000	956,804	T0.10	Dec.	Int. Div. $0.05 a/c 1939	13-10-37	0.55 Oct	0.40 Sept	0.55 Mar	0.38 Aug	6,000	3,000	424,906	391,772
0.40	....	0.40	....	0.40	0.44	0.41	....	0.41	0.40	Cheng Rubber Estates, Ltd.	1,095,850	1,051,438	T0.10	June	Div. $0.06 a/c 1936-37 (Nil 1938-39)	23-8-39	4.70 Oct	2.50 Jan	6.20 Sept	4.10 May	1,000	2,980	46,660	129,000
....	....	5.80	....	....	....	5.80	....	5.85	5.80	Consolidated Rub. Estates (1914), Ltd.	500,000	484,837	2/-	Dec.	Div. $0.07 a/c 1939	18-8-39	7.25 Aug	4.75 Mar	10 Sept	5.90 Apr	1,000	2,600	14,805	45,970
....	....	9	....	....	....	8.80	....	....	9	Dominion Rubber Co., Ltd.	350,000	200,000	T1	Dec.	Div. $0.15 a/c 1939	6-4-39	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	9	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	9	Gula-Kalumpong Rub. Ests., Ltd.	750,000	665,000	£1	Dec.	Div. 5% 1938 Less I/T (Coupon 35)	23-8-39	2.50 Oct	1.55 Jan	4 Sept	2.15 Jan	9,000	25,000	84,470	604,655
....	....	....	62	....	....	....	62	....	....	Java-Cons. Rub. & Coffee Ests., Ltd.	850,000	750,000	2/-	Dec.	Int. Div. $010 a/c 1939	21-3-38	20 June	20 Apr	18 Aug	17.90 Aug	....	....	950	150
3.85	....	3.87½	....	3.87½	3.95	3.85	....	3.95	3.85	Kapayang Rubber Estates Co., Ltd.	15,000	14,800	T10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.50 (Mkg. $1.50 a/c 1937) (Nil 1938)	6-10-39	3 Aug	1.80 Mar	4.85 Sept	2.50 Apr	6,000	10,000	56,735	293,511
....	....	18	....	....	....	18	....	....	....	Kota Bahroe Rub. Ests. (1921), Ltd.	500,000	461,804	T0.75	June	Div. $0.15 a/c 1938-39	28-8-39	1.32 Oct	0.70 Feb	2.20 Sept	1.13 Jan	6,300	46,500	688,500	1,230,710
4.40	4.50	4.45	....	4.30	4.60	4.30	....	....	4.45	Kroewoek Java Plantations, Ltd.	2,200,000	2,200,000	T0.10	Dec.	Int. Div. $0.05 a/c 1939	3-3-30	11 Aug	4 Apr	17.30 Sept	8 Feb	5,300	8,400	41,921	168,482
2.07½	2.15	2.10	....	2.05	2.12½	2.17½	....	2.41	2.15	Langkat	250,000	250,000	Gs.10	Oct.	Fin. Tls. 0.50 = $0.70, 1928-29 (Nil 1937-39)	28-7-39	1.37½ June	1 Feb	2.05 Sept	0.94 Apr	....	3,000	90,000	204,000
16.80	....	16.80	....	17.10	17.30	17.20	....	17.10	16.70	Padang Rubber Co., Ltd.	500,000	317,219	$1	Oct.	Int. Div. $0.04 a/c 1938-39	6-10-39	1 Mar	0.60 Jan	0.85 June	0.73 Mar	....	....	....	....
....	....	2.05	....	....	....	2	....	2.05	1.95	Permata Rubber Ests., Ltd.	1,350,000	1,350,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.09 a/c 1937) (Nil 1938)	20-4-38	0.93 Oct	0.60 Feb	0.91 Mar	0.73 Mar	....	1,000	161,900	126,858
....	....	0.85	....	0.90	....	0.85	....	....	....	Repah Rubber & Tapioca Ests., Ltd.	25,000,000	1,082,000	T1	Sept.	Int. Div. $0.15 a/c 1938-39	7-7-39	4.02½ Oct	2.50 May	6.90 Sept	3.20 Feb	10,500	13,800	226,541	405,118
....	....	0.85	....	0.83	0.88	0.88	....	0.85	0.85	Rubber Trust, Ltd.	6,000,000	1,011,000	T0.10	Sept.	Div. $0.02 a/c 1937-38	14-12-38	0.83 Oct	0.60 May	1.15 Sept	0.75 Feb	....	20,550	39,400	130,725
6	6.20	6.10	....	6.35	6.45	6.40	....	6.35	6.05	Samagaga Rubber Co., Ltd.	900,000	900,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.09, 1937) (Nil 1938)	29-3-38	0.92 Mar	0.63 Feb	0.97 June	0.75 May	....	24,100	188,250	142,895
1.30	....	1.30	....	1.06	....	1.15	....	1.30	1.15	Semambu Rubber Ests., Ltd.	1,140,000	1,140,000	T0.10	Jan.	Div. $0.01 a/c 1938-39	19-5-39	1.06 Oct	0.67 Feb	1.25 Sept	0.83 May	8,000	18,000	258,420	524,816
0.92	0.94	0.93	....	....	....	0.95	....	0.93	0.90	Senawang Rub. Ests. Co. (1921), Ltd.	400,000	300,000	T1	Sept.	2nd Int. Div. $0.10 (Mkg. $0.20 a/c 1938-39)	28-9-39	6.70 June	4.80 Feb	8.90 Sept	5.20 Mar	....	500	21,225	55,911
....	....	1.08	....	1.12	....	1.15	....	1.13	1.08	Shanghai Kedah Plantations, Ltd.	1,400,000	1,400,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.02 (Mkg. $0.04 a/c 1937) (Nil 1938)	22-4-38	0.43 Oct	0.25 Jan	0.48 Sept	0.34 Apr	1,000	30,000	584,166	1,084,058
....	....	8.70	....	....	....	8.80XD	....	8.70	8.70	S'hai Kelantan Rub. Ests. (1925), Ltd.	30,000	30,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $0.50 a/c 1939

COMMERCE AND FINANCE

Money & Exchange

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1939

BANK'S SELLING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 4 7/16	$ 54.08
U.S. $100 @ 7 1/16	$1,344.54

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 4 5/16	$ 52.60
U.S. $100 @ 7 1/16	$1,300.81
London—demand	4 5/16
4 months' sight credits	4 5/16
4 months' sight docts	4 1/16
6 months' sight credits	4 3/16
6 months' sight docts	4 2/16
New York—demand U.S.	$7 1/16
4 months' sight credits	7 1/16
4 months' sight docts	7 1/16

INTERBANK CLOSING SELLING RATES

Sterling 4 1/16	U.S. $7 1/32
Hongkong/London	1/3

Netherlands Trading Society

Netherlands Guilders	Buying 14 1/2
Java Guilders	Selling 14 1/4
Netherlands Guilders	Selling 14
Java Guilders	" 13 3/4

American Express Co., Inc.

Buying	@7 1/2 = $1,300.813	@4 5/8 = $51.891
Selling	@7 1/16 = $1,344.537	@4 1/2 = $53.333

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Belgas 0.44=$1 Belgas 23.50=£1

Italian Bank for China

It. Lire 1.49=$1 Swiss Frs. 0.33 1/4=$1
Tourist Lire 1.64 $1

Hua Hsing Commercial Bank

Sterling Selling Rate	@ 6d	per	H.H.$ 1
" Buying	@ 6 3/32	"	H.H.$ 1
U.S.$ Selling	@ 10	"	H.H.$100
" Buying	@ 10 3/8	"	H.H.$100

LOCAL DOLLAR (FAPI)

Selling Rate	@ 133	per	H.H.$100
Buying "	@ 136	"	H.H.$100

Local Exchange Report

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

INTER BANK CASH DELIVERY

£	Highest 4 1/32	Lowest	4 3/64
U.S. G.$	7 3/8		7 11/32
Yen	—		—

MERCHANT CLOSING RATES

SELLING		BUYING	
Cash		Oct.	
£ T.T.	4 7/16	4 m/s. l.c.	4 5/16
G.$ T.T.	7 1/16	4 m/s. l.c.	7 5/8
Fcs. T.T.	325	4 m/s.	340
Rs. T.T.	24 1/8	15 d/s.	25 1/2

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	21 1/4	21
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	35	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	55.13	—
Bombay offtake 60 bars.		

London silver was unchange both ready and forward, being 21¼ for ready and 21.– forward. New York was unchanged at 35.– and Bombay was 1 Rupee and 2 annas down at 55.13.

It was reported speculators bought and sold. Business very small. Market quiet, steady. After the official fixing the market ruled very quiet with no business done.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 4 7/16 Sterling and 7 7/16 U.S.$.

The Interbank market was extremely quiet and fluctuated within narrow limits. The market opened with sellers for near at 4½ sterling and 7 5/16 U.S.$. but a few buying orders at these rates were too much for sellers and rates declined to 4 13/32 sterling and 7½ U.S.$. The market remained quiet and rather easy for the rest of the day. At the close there were sellers at:—

4 13/32 Sterling 7½ U.S.$. Cash/Oct
4 13/32 Sterling 7 13/32 U.S.$. Nov.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay Rupee T. T. on: Oct. 5.

Japan	78¾	London	1/5 31/32
New York	33⅜	2 mths	
Shanghai	28½	" (sellers)	1/6
Hongkong	85¾	" (buyers)	1/6 1/16
		Japan (sellers)	Unq
		(buyers)	Unq

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	402.00	Shanghai	4 7/8d *
Paris	176.00	Bombay	1/6 3/32 *
Berlin	——	Hongkong	1/5 31/32 *
Amsterdam	7.52	Singapore	2/4 7/32 *
Brussels	23.85	Yokohama	1/2 11/16 *
Madrid	39.50*	" (buying)	1/1 13/32 *
Milan	79.00*	Prague	——
Berne	17.75		

*—Unofficial rates.

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.10	Japan	23.65
Spain	unq.	Shanghai	7.80
Holland	53.25	Austria	unq.
Paris	2.28¾	C'slovakia	unq.
Brussels	16.75	Hungary	19.00 N
Italy	5.05	Rumania	0.73
S'zerland	22.48	Yugo Slavia	2.33
Sweden	23.85	Greece	0.73½
Norway	22.75	Bulgaria	Unq.
Denmark	19.35	Finland	2.00
Montreal	89.250	Poland	unq.
Brazil	5.10		

N—Nominal *—Unofficial Rates S—sellers.

London	4.04½
" Demand	4.03¾
" Bankers' 60 Days Bills	4.01¾
" Commercial 60 Days Bills	4.01¾
Buenos Aires Paper	Unq.
" " " Market Rate	23.55
Montreal on London	4.52½

—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London: Oct. 5.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	2 1/4%
Bank Bills,	6 months	3 1/8%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	3 3/4%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	4 3/8%
Call Money		1 3/8%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0 1/2%B 0 7/8%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0 1/2%B 0 1/2%A
Call Money	1%

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Bid in Pesos)

Oct. 6.	Bid Prices a.m. Closing		p.m. Closing	
Atoks	.15	S	.15	S
Antamok	.14	S	.14	S
Baguio Gold	.14		.14	S
Batong Buhay	.009		.009	
Benguet Consolidated	9.60	S	9.60	S
Big Wedge	.17	S	.17	S
Coco Grove	.14	S	.14	S
Demonstration	.0725	S	.07	S
I. X. L.	.35		.35	
Ipo Gold	.115		.12	S
Itogon	.17	S	.17	S
Macbate Consolidated	.07	S	.07	S
Mine Operations	.095	S	.10	S
North Camarines	.135		.135	
Paracale Gumaus	.145		.15	
San Mauricio	.69	S	.70	S
Surigao Consolidated	.15		.15	
Suyoc	.11	S	.11	S
United Paracale	.27	S	.265	S
Mindanao Motherlode	.0625	S	.0625	S

S—Sales.

Turnover for the Morning: 153,600 Pesos.

Shares Index: (Morning Session) 63.87. —Reuter.

Paris Bourse

Paris, Oct. 5.

Boosted by the Premier's statement yesterday, the market opened strong in all compartments on the Bourse today, with trading active.

During the session, the upward trend continued, and all stocks closed around the day's highest levels.—Havas.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

Yesterday was a big day on the Stock Exchange, a very large business being done in Industrials at rising prices. I. I. Trusts, Loans, Yangtsze Finance and Wheelocks shewed the biggest rises; other stocks, if not strong, at least held their ground.

The Rubber market was also more active and prices improved, but they remained a secondary part of the picture.

Official Averages

1939 High	Low		Today's Averages	Change
189.96	105.32	General	166.26	+2.60
254.85	95.55	Rubbers	240.12	+2.97

Total 270,035 shares, 410 bonds.

Morning Session

$14,000	Power 5½% Debs.	$ 84.50
$1,000	S. W. W. 5½% Debs.	85.00
$2,000	China Realty 8% Debs.	$ 69.00
$2,000	F. M. C. 6½% Debs. 1926	$ 90.00
1,000	I. I. Trust	$ 5.30
500	I. I. Trust	5.50
1,500	I. I. Trust	5.60
500	I. I. Trust	5.65
2,000	I. I. Trust	5.60
5,000	I. I. Trust	5.65
500	I. I. Trust	5.60
1,500	I. I. Trust	5.55
500	S'hai Loan	7.10
2,000	S'hai Loan	7.15
1,000	S'hai Loan	7.20
1,000	S'hai Loan	7.25
1,000	S'hai Loan	7.30
500	S'hai Loan	7.35
500	S'hai Loan	7.30
500	S'hai Loan	7.35
500	S'hai Loan	7.40
1,500	S'hai Loan	7.35
1,500	S'hai Loan	7.30
3,500	S'hai Loan	7.35
500	S'hai Loan	7.30
2,000	S'hai Loan	7.35
500	S'hai Loan	7.30
500	S'hai Loan	7.35
500	S'hai Loan	7.30
500	S'hai Loan	7.35
1,000	S'hai Loan	7.40
500	S'hai Loan	7.45
6,000	Yangtsze Finance	7.35
500	Yangtsze Finance	7.40
2,000	Yangtsze Finance	7.35
500	Yangtsze Finance	7.40
1,000	Yangtsze Finance	7.50
3,500	Yangtsze Finance	7.60
1,500	Yangtsze Finance	7.80
500	Yangtsze Finance	7.90
500	Yangtsze Finance	7.95
1,000	Yangtsze Finance	7.80
1,000	Yangtsze Finance	7.85
1,500	Yangtsze Finance	7.80
500	Yangtsze Finance	7.75
1,000	Yangtsze Finance	7.70
2,000	Yangtsze Finance	7.75
500	Yangtsze Finance	7.80
2,000	Yangtsze Finance	7.75
3,500	Yangtsze Finance	7.70
2,500	Yangtsze Finance	7.75
1,500	Yangtsze Finance	7.80
1,000	Int. Assurance	10.50
200	Int. Assurance	10.30
600	Int. Assurance	10.50
4,500	S'hai Land	8.80
300	New Eng. (Ord)	12.10
1,500	New Eng. (Ord)	12.00
400	New Eng. (Ord)	12.10
1,000	New Eng. (Ord)	12.20
1,000	New Eng. (Ord)	12.00
3,400	New Eng. (Ord)	12.10
500	New Eng. (Ord)	12.20
100	New Eng. (Ord)	12.10
200	New Eng. (Ord)	12.10
50	S'hai Dock	149.00
50	S. & H. Wharf	220.00
200	Wheelock	44.50
100	Wheelock	44.75
200	Wheelock	45.00
200	Wheelock	44.75
420	Wheelock	44.50
100	Wheelock	44.75
300	Wheelock	44.50
100	Wheelock	45.00
300	Wheelock	44.75
300	Wheelock	45.00
600	Wheelock	45.25
100	Wheelock	45.50
500	Wheelock	45.57
1,400	Wheelock	46.00
200	Wheelock	46.50
700	Wheel	46.75
700	Wheelock	46.50
500	Wheelock	46.75
200	Wheelock	46.50
100	Wheelock	46.75
1,300	C. G. Omnibus	21.50
500	Tram (Bearer) £1	39.00
20	S. W. W. "A" £20	745.00
1,700	Metal	10.50
200	Metal	10.60
2,200	Metal	10.70
1,500	Metal	10.60
1,400	Metal	10.50
100	Metal	10.60
800	Metal	10.70
100	Metal	10.80
300	Metal	10.70
300	Kaiping	40.00
500	Exploration	7.05
1,500	Exploration	7.00
500	Exploration	7.05
1,500	Exploration	7.10
40	Power (Pref)	123.25
20	Power (Pref)	123.00
50	Power (Pref)	123.25
400	Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.70
2,600	Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.80
200	Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.90
200	Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.80
200	Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.90
4,900	Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.80
600	Anglo Java	32.75
300	Ango Java	33.00
1,000	Java Consolidated	3.92½
1,000	Java Consolidated	3.95
1,000	Kroewoek	2.10
6,000	Kroewoek	2.15
5,000	Kroewoek	2.12½
300	Langkat	17.10
500	Rubber Trust	6.15
500	Rubber Trust	6.20
10,000	Semambu	0.91
1,000	Senawang	1.08
2,000	Kelantan	0.42
100	Sungei Duri	46.50
200	Sungei Duri	47.00
2,000	Tanah Merah	2.95
700	Ziangbe	22.25
300	Caldbeck Macg. (Pref)	13.60

ODD LOTS

100 Semambu	$ 0.91
200 Exploration	7.15
5 Power (Pref)	123.00
100 S'hai Loan	7.40
200 S'hai Loan	7.30
200 Exploration	7.00
100 S'hai Land	8.80
5 Power (Pref)	123.50
200 S'hai Loan	7.30
66 Int. Assurance	10.30
1 Int. Assurance	10.50
33 Int. Assurance	10.20
30 Wheelock	45.25
200 Yangtsze Finance	7.80
100 Exploration	6.95
50 Metal	10.40
30 New Eng. (Ord)	12.20
100 Exploration	7.00
1 S. W. W. "A" £20	742.50
200 I. I. Trust	5.50

Afternoon Session

$20,000	S'hai Tele. 6% Debs.	$ 88.50
$1,000	China Realty 8% Debs.	$ 67.00
1,500	I. I. Trust	$ 5.55
500	I. I. Trust	5.60
1,000	I. I. Trust	5.55
2,000	I. I. Trust	5.60
500	I. I. Trust	5.55
1,000	I. I. Trust	5.60
500	I. I. Trust	5.55
2,500	S'hai Loan	7.45
1,000	S'hai Loan	7.50
500	S'hai Loan	7.55
500	S'hai Loan	7.60
500	Yangtsze Finance	7.80
4,500	Yangtsze Finance	7.75
3,000	Yangtsze Finance	7.80
2,000	Yangtsze Finance	7.85
2,500	Yangtsze Finance	7.80
1,500	Yangtsze Finance	7.85
1,100	Int. Assurance	10.80
100	Int. Assurance	10.90
1,000	S'hai Land	9.00
1,000	New Eng. (Ord)	12.20
700	New Eng. (Ord)	12.30
100	New Eng. (Ord)	12.40
1,600	Wheelock	47.00
1,400	Wheelock	47.25
1,000	C. G. Omnibus	21.75
1,000	C. G. Omnibus	22.00
100	Tram (Bearer) £1	39.60
100	Tram (Bearer) £1	39.25
5,000	Metal	10.70
100	Kaiping	40.50
700	Kaiping	41.00
2,500	Exploration	7.05
2,000	Exploration	7.00
100	S'hai Power (Pref)	123.25
800	Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.80
4,600	Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.70
600	Anglo Java	33.25
500	Anglo Java	33.00
1,000	Batu Anam	0.94
500	Consolidated	5.70
2,000	Java Consolidated	3.90
1,000	Kota	4.40
1,000	Kota	4.45
4,000	Kroewoek	2.15
3,000	Kroewoek	2.12½
7,000	Kroewoek	2.10
1,000	Rubber Trust	6.30
1,000	Rubber Trust	6.35
5,000	Samagaga	1.35
7,000	Semambu	0.91
12,000	Senawang	1.06
100	Sungei Duri	47.50
1,000	Tanah Merah	2.97½
2,000	Tanah Merah	3.00
2,000	Tebong	1.10
1,000	Ziangbe	22.25
500	Ziangbe	22.50

ODD LOTS

50 Kaiping	$ 40.25
9 Power (Pref)	123.00
20 Wheelock	46.75
500 Tanah Merah	3.02½
100 S'hai Loan	7.40
5 S. W. W. "A" £20	745.00
200 Rubber Trust	6.40
500 Kota	4.32½

London Stocks

Thursday's Closing Quotations

London, Oct. 5.

Prices ruled very firm today in the liveliest session recorded since the war started, attributed to the market's optimistic interpretation of the eventual outcome of hostilities.

British gilt edged securities entered the limelight with dealings at minima in practically all stocks, and the announcement of the unchanged bank rate proved no disappointment.

Elsewhere, a strong undertone continued unabated until the close. Kaffirs were especially favoured.—Reuter.

	Oct. 4	5
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£88½	88½

JAPANESE BONDS

Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	29	30½
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	35½	36½
	Osaka, Oct. 6.	
Kogo 5%		105.36

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL

Allied Ironfounders	15/9	15/9
Armstrong Stevens	5/3	5/3
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	32/4	33/-
Austin Motors, ord.	16/3	17/1
Bristol Aeroplane	15/7	16/3
British American Tob.	81/3	82/6
Cable & W.	45¼	45¾
Cammell Laird, ord.	6/4	6/6
Courtaulds	26/10	27/3
Distillers	85/6	86/6
Dunlop Rubber	25/9	26/3
General Elec. (Eng.)	62/-	63/6
Guinness (A.) Son & Co.	78/9	81/
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	13/9	15/1
Imp. Chem. Indus.	28/7	29/-
Imp. Tobacco.	108/9	108/9
Leyland Motors	78/1	80/-
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	48/9	47/6
Pressed Steel. Com.	13/3	12/6
Rolls-Royce	82/6	85/7
Smethwick Drop Forgings	14/6	14/6
Tate & Lyle	58/1	58/7
Turner & Newall	70/-	72/6
United Steel	21/9	22/4
Vickers, ord.	16/7	16/7
Woolworths	56/10	58/1

MISCELLANEOUS

Anglo Dutch	24/6	24/6
Rubber Pltn. Inv. Trust	27/6	27/6

MINES

Burma Corp.	8/7	8/9
Commonwealth Min.	Unq.	Unq.
Marsman Invests.	10/9	10/7
Randfontein Ests.	36/3	36/3
Sub-Nigel	182/6	185/-
Tanami Gold Min.	4½d	4½d
Western Holdings	7/3	8/-

OILS

Anglo Iranian	56/3	57/6
Burmah	61/3	63/1
Mexican Eagle	4/6	4/9
Shell Trans. & Trad.	83/9	83/9

CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.

4½% Gold Loan, 1898	—	—
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	38	38
4½% Anglo-French Loan,	40	40
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	21	21
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	32	32
8% Stg. Notes, 1925	—	—
5% Honan Rly., 1905	—	—
5% Hukuang Rly., 1913	—	—
5% " " (Ger. Is.)	—	—
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	—	—
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	—	—
5% T'sin-Pukow Rly. B.	—	—
5% " " G.	—	—
5% " " (Supl. Loan) B.	—	—
5% " " (Supl. Loan) G.	—	—
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	—	—
S'hai. Elec. Construction	—	—
S'hai. Waterworks "A"	10	10
Un. Insurance Soc.	19	19
Charted. Bank of I. A. & C.	6⅜	6⅜
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	72	72
(Col. Reg.)	72	73
Chinese Eng. & Min.	—	—
Chosen Corp.	—	—
Pekin Syndicate	—	—
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	15/6	16/3

Federal Reserve System

New York, Oct. 5.

The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, in their report for the week ended October 4, respecting the entire body of reporting member banks of the System, revealed no change on bills bought as compared with the previous week and the corresponding period of last year.

United States securities held showed a decrease of $19,000,000 compared with last week but reveal an increase of $221,000,000 compared with the same week in 1938, while the Federal Reserve ratio was higher by 0.1 per cent. over last week and by 2.4 per cent. over the same time last year.

Federal Reserve credit showed a decrease of $9,000,000 from last week, but an increase of $244,000,000 compared with the corresponding period of last year.

Monetary gold stocks were higher by $33,000,000 over those of last week and by $3,146,000,000 over those of last year.

Industrial advances by the Federal Reserve advanced by $197,000 from the preceding week, but declined by $3,614,000 from the corresponding week in 1938.

During the period under review bills bought totalled $1,000,000; U.S. securities held $2,785,000,000; while the Federal Reserve ratio was placed at 85.2 per cent.

Federal Reserve bank credit amounted to $2,837,000,000; monetary gold stocks $16,058,000,000 and industrial advances $11,841,000.—Reuter.

Bank of Japan Gold Reserves

Osaka, Oct. 6.

The gold reserves of the Bank of Japan yesterday totalled 501,287,000 Yen, same as on Thursday last week and 501,286,000 Yen on October 6, last year.

This shows no change as compared with last week but an increase of 1,000 Yen from last year.—Reuter.

Auto Palace Declares Interim Dividend

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Auto Palace Co. Ltd., held yesterday, it was decided to declare an interim dividend for the year ending 1939, of $1.00 per share, payable on October 13.

U.S. Car Loadings

New York, Oct. 5.

Car loadings in the United States for the week ended September 30 totalled 835,000 cars, a new high record since July 1937, according to the weekly report of the Association of American Railroads, which was issued today. This indicates an increase of 137,000 cars over the corresponding period a year ago and of 20,000 cars compared with the week ended September 23.

Loadings for the corresponding period of the previous year totalled 698,000 cars, and for the week ended September 23, 815,000 cars.—Reuter.

New York Stocks

Thursday's Closing Quotations

New York, Oct. 5.

Stock prices on Wall Street today finished with moves ranging from fractions to 1 point either way. The market early moved moderately higher, but, in view of the incalculable possibilities of Herr Hitler's speech tomorrow, rallies lacked follow through.

Steels received support, while leading motors were bought, as despite labour troubles, the automobile industry is looking to an usually good year. Rails held steady, as car loadings touched a new high since July, 1937, while coppers responded poorly to the strength of the commodity.

Meanwhile, some quarters believe that the stock market is still behind the current rising industrial tide.

The turnover today amounted to 910,000 shares.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	151.68	149.72	150.48	+0.23
20 Rails	34.26	33.72	33.52	+0.04
15 Utilities	25.50	25.07	25.22	+0.16
40 Bonds	——	——	89.59	+0.05
11 Commod.	——	——	55.29	+0.56

	Oct. 4	5
Adams Express	9½	9¾
Alleghany Ludlum Steel	24½	24½
Allied Stores	9⅛	9⅜
Allis Chalmers	43⅞	43⅞
Aluminium Ltd.	90¼	91
Amer. Can.	113⅞	113¾
Amer. Cyanamid "B"	33½	33¼
Amer. & For. Power	2⅜	2¾
" $7 pfd.	24⅛	26½
Amer. Gas & Elec.	36¾	36¾
Amer. Locomotive	26⅛	27
Amer. Metal	26	25¾
Amer. Radiator	10	10⅛
Amer. Rolling Mill	20	21
Amer. Smelting & Ref.	54½	54⅝
Amer. Sugar Refining	24½	24⅝
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	161½	161½
Amer. Tobacco "B"	78	78
Amer. Waterworks	13⅝	13½
Anaconda Copper	33⅝	33⅜
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	31¼	31½
Auburn	—	—
Baldwin Locomotive	19¼	19⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	7⅝	7⅝
Barber Asphalt Corp.	16⅜	16¼
Barnsdall Oil Co.	16¼	16⅜
Bendix Aviation	28⅞	28⅞
Bethlehem Steel	38¾	38¾
Bliss (E.W.)	16⅞	17⅛
Boeing Airplane	26	26
Borg Warner	28	27¼
Briggs Mfg. Co.	25¼	24¾
Bklyn-Manhattan Trans.	12	12¼
" $6 cum. pfd.	42	42
Budd Mfg. (E.G.)	6⅞	7⅛
Can. Pacific Rly.	5⅞	5⅝
Case, J.I.	85	83
Celanese Corp.	25⅛	25¼
Chase Nat. Bank	B 35⅛	B 35⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	43⅛	43½
Chrysler	91¼	92¾
Colt's Patent Fire-Arms	B 87	87
Columbia Gas & Elec.	7⅝	7½
" 6% "A" pfd.	83	B 82⅞
Coml. Credit	45½	45½
Comm. & Southern (ord)	1⅝	1⅝
" $6 cum. pfd.	64	65
Consolid. Edison	30⅛	30
Consolid. Oil	8⅝	8¾
Continental Can	47¼	47½
Continental Oil	28⅝	29
Corn Products	62¼	62
Curtiss Wright (com.)	7	7⅛
" " "A"	25½	26
Deere & Co.	24	24½
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	14⅞	14¾
Douglas Aircraft	75⅜	75
Du Pont de Nemours	179	178¼
Eagle Picher Lead	11¾	12¼
Eaton Mfg. Co.	26⅞	27
Elec. Auto Lite	37⅜	38¾
Elec. Bond & Share	8⅝	9⅝
" $5 pfd.	56	57⅞
" $6 pfd.	67¼	63¾
Elec. Pwr. & Lt.	33¼	—
Flintkote	17¾	17¾
Food Machinery Corp.	33½	33¾
Gen. Amer. Trans.	59	59½
Gen. Elec.	40½	40⅞
Gen. Motors	54⅛	54⅝
Gen. Rly. Signal	23	23½
Gen. Tire & Rubber	22⅛	22⅜
Glidden Co.	18⅝	18⅝
Goodrich (B.F.)	22⅜	22¼
" $5 pfd.	—	—
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	28¼	28⅜
Great Nthrn. Iron Ore	19	19
Great Nthrn. Rly.	30¼	30⅛
Great Western Sugar	31	30⅝
Greyhound Corp.	16½	16½
Hercules Power	89½	90
Homestake Min.	54	54
Indus. Rayon	27¾	27⅝
Int. Havester	65½	65
Int. Nickel	38⅞	39⅛
Int. Tel. & Tel.	5⅜	5½
Johns Manville	75⅛	74¾
Jones & Laughlin	78	77
Kennecott	40½	40½
Lakey Foundry & Machine	37⅛	B 33¾
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	48⅛	49¼
Lockheed Aircraft	28⅝	28½
Loew's Inc.	33¾	34⅜
Manhattan Shirt Co.	—	13¼
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	35¾	35¼
McKesson & Robbins	B 15⅝	15⅝
Monsanto Chemical	107½	108¼
Montgomery Ward	53⅞	53¾
Nat. City Bank	B 29½	B 29½
Nat. Dairy Products	16	16
Nat. Distillers	23¾	23½
Nat. Gypsum	10⅛	10⅛
Nat. Lead	21¾	22⅛
Nat. Power & Lt.	8⅝	7⅞
Nat. Steel Corp.	76½	77¼
Nat. Supply Co.	11½	12
New York Central	21	20⅞
Niagara Hudson Power	7⅝	7⅞
North Amer. Aviation	20¼	20⅜
North Amer. Co.	22½	22⅝
Northern Pacific	11¼	11¼
Owens-Illinois-Glass	63⅜	63¾
Pacific Gas & Elec.	29⅝	29¾
Pacific Lighting	45	44¾
Packard Motors	3⅞	4⅛
Paramount Pictures	7⅞	7⅞
Pennsylvania R.R.	25¼	25⅛
Phelps Dodge	43½	43⅞
Phila & Reading Coal	1	0⅞
Phillips Petroleum	44	—
Pittsburgh Coke & Iron	B 11⅜	B 11⅛
Public Serv. of N.J.	38⅛	38½
Pullman Inc.	38⅝	38⅝
Pure Oil	9⅞	9⅝
Radio Corp. of Amer.	5¾	5⅞
Reading Co.	20	20
" 1st pfd.	27½	28½
Remington Arms Co.	B 5⅝	B 5½
Republic Steel Co.	25⅞	26⅛
Revere Copper & Brass	16¼	16¼
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	36⅛	36
Richfield Corp.	8⅜	8¼
Safeway Stores	41½	42½
Schenley	13	12⅞
" 5½% pfd.	—	—
Sears Roebuck	77½	77⅜
Seversky Aircraft	4⅝	4¾
Shell Union Oil	14	14⅜
Socony-Vacuum	14	13⅞
Sthrn. Pacific	16⅞	17¼
Sthrn. Rly.	31	32
Sperry Corp.	46¾	46⅞
Spicer Mfg.	29	B 28¾
Stand. Brands	6⅛	6
Stand. Gas & Elec.	2⅞	3
Stand. Oil of Calif.	29¼	29¼
Stand. Oil of N.J.	48½	48½
Stone & Webster	13⅛	13
Swift International	32	32
Technicolor	11¼	12
Texas Corp.	46¾	47½
Texas Gulf Sulphur	36¼	36¼
Transamerica	6½	6½
Tw. Century Fox Film,	14	14¼
" " pfd.	23	24
Un. Carbide & Carbon	90	89½
Un. Pacific	101½	100½
Un. Aircraft	42½	43⅛
Un. Air Lines Trans.	10¼	10⅜
Un. Corp.	3	2⅞
" $6 cum. pfd.	35¾	36¼
Un. Gas Corp.	2½	2¼
Un. Gas Improvement	13⅞	14
Un. Indus. Alcohol	24½	24½
Un. Light & Power "A"	B 1⅝	B 1⅝
U. S. Rubber	42½	42¾
" 8% n-c pfd.	105	105⅝
U. S. Steel	74⅞	74⅞
Vanadium	35⅞	36¼
Warner Bros. Picts.	4⅛	4¼
Westinghouse Elec.	117⅛

Post Office Notices

The following times apply to the Head Post Office, Szechuen Road Bridge. Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is needed.

	Reg.	Ord.
SATURDAY, October 7.		
Tsingtao and Dairen	8.30	9.00
Tinghai and Shenkiamen	9.30	10.00
Ninghsien Yungkia Wenchow etc. via Chinhai	9.30	10.00
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	16.30	17.00
Japan and Korea via Nagasaki	20.00	20.00
SUNDAY, October 8.		
Amoy and Swatow x	10.00	10.00
Fukien Province via Amoy x	10.00	10.00
MONDAY, October 9.		
Nantung	14.30	15.00
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	16.30	17.00

X Provisional time—subject to alterations. (Next parcel mail for U.S.A., closes on Oct. 14).

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service per steamer on October 10, at 3 p.m. for registered and at 4 p.m. for ordinary due London October 25.
Pan American Airways Service per steamer on Oct. 13, at 3 p.m. for registered and at 4 p.m. for ordinary due San Francisco on October 25.
Air France per steamer on October 10, at 3 p.m. for registered and at 4 p.m. for ordinary.
Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per steamer to Hongkong.
Royal Netherlands Indies Airways K.N.I.L.M. (Saigon-Batavia-Sydney) per steamer to Hongkong.
Shanghai-Japan Air Mail Service: daily at 8 p.m.

Domestic Air Mail

Nanking per Shanghai-Nanking Air Line at 9.45 a.m. and 12.00, at Yuhang Road Sub-Office at 9.15 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.
Hwaining, Kiukiang and Hankow per Shanghai-Hankow Air Line daily at 10.30 p.m.
Ningsia, Shensi, Szechwan, Yunnan, Kweichow, Hupeh (Shasi and west) and west to Hongkong for the Hongkong-Chungking plane.
Peiping, Tientsin, Tsinan, Tatung, Kalgan Shanhaikwan, Tsingtao and Tungshan by the planes of the Chung Hua Air Transport Co. daily at 9.30 p.m.

Light Train Mail

Via N.S.R. 8.45 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
Kiangpei offices west and north of Jukao 8.45 a.m. and 10.00 p.m.
Hangchow 11.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
North Pinghan and Lunghai (east of Chenghsien) 8.45 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
Wuhu, Hwaining, Kiukiang and Hankow 8.45 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Next steamer mails will be closed as follows:—
Per steamer via Pacific, Oct. 15, due L'don Nov. 17.
Per steamer via Suez, Oct. 18, due London Nov. 16.

Weather, Time and Tide

Saturday, October 7, 1939 (25th day of 8th moon)	SICCAWEI Oct. 5 16.00	Oct. 5 21.00	Oct. 6 4.00	Oct. 6 9.00
Barometer inches	29.89	29.93	29.93	29.98
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	—0.01	—0.01	—0.00	0.00
at 32 F. („ „ 12 hrs.)	—0.04	—0.05	+0.04	+0.05
Wind (direction)	WNW	SW	SE	SSE
„ (miles per hour)	9.3	0.6	3.7	6.8
Temperature (Fahr.)	79.9°	64.0°	62.1°	75.4°
Humidity %	36	86	90	67
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	0	0	6	5
Rainfall inches	—	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report October 5	Mean 1939	24 hrs. variation	66 years average
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.93	0.00	30.04
Temp. Min. 55.°4 Max. 84.°6	70.°0	—4°.4	67.°3
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	37.25	—	38.94

Time and Tide	7/10	8/10	9/10	10/10	11/10
Sun rises at Shanghai ..	5.51	5.52	5.52	5.53	5.53
Sun sets at Shanghai	17.33	17.31	17.30	17.29	17.27
Moon rises at Shanghai ..	—	0.32	1.37	2.44	3.51
Moon sets at Shanghai ..	13.21	14.08	14.52	15.34	16.17
Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18	16.30	18.15	6.40	7.54	8.49
Ebb. makes Shai. 6 to 18	8.40	10.22	12.00	13.06	14.00
H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18	18.33	7.58	9.19	9.56	10.35
Ht. above LLW. (feet) ..	5.50	6.44	8.79	9.90	10.30

Vessels Arriving To-day

The following particulars in connection with vessels due to arrive to-day are based upon information available yesterday evening

From NAGASAKI: Shanghai Maru, with mail, due 2 p.m. O. S. K. Wharf.

Due at Future Dates

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

On account of the present international situation there is considerable interference with movements of ships, especially those from Europe. In cases where it is definitely known that the vessel is not running to schedule the Shanghai arrival date is omitted.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From OSLO			From GENOA		
Tamerlane	18/9	12/10	Victoria	14/9	16/10
Toulouse	18/8	22/10	Zuiderkerk	6/10	11/11
From ANTWERP			**From COLOMBO**		
Serooskerk	21/8	14/10	Yasukuni M.	7/10	20/10
Zuiderkerk	18/9	11/11	**From SOERABAYA**		
From LONDON			Tjisadane	29/9	17/10
Katori M.	1/9	10/10	Tjinegara	6/10	23/10
Yasukuni M.	15/9	20/10	**From MANILA**		
Kasima M.	29//9	7/11	Serooskerk	5/10	14/10
From MARSEILLES			Victoria	5/10	16/10
Kasima M.	6/10	7/11	**From HONGKONG**		
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Sandro Sandri	T'lungkong	Chu Foong
U.S.S. Guam	Cruise	—
Hwaping	T'lungkong	Hwa Chung
Ehime M.	Tsingtao	Y.K.K.
Liesel	T'lungkong	Chin Dah
Dairen M.	Dairen	D.K.K.
Chekiang M.	Tsungming	T.K.K.
Meinan	Ningpo	S.V.O.C.
Tejo	T'lungkong	I.C.R.N.
H. Kiangnan	Hupukow	S. Guenter
Kiangting	T'lungkong	Foo Hwa
Talien	Tsungming	Wan Woo
Lipari	T'lungkong	C.I.N.
Haikong	Hsinkong	Keh Lee

Yesterday's Departures

Name	Flag	Despatcher
Luise	Ger.	Keh Lee
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Liesel	Ger.	Chin Dah
Anwoo	Chi.	Dah Hsing
Karsten	Ger.	Chin Dah
Hwaping	Jap.	Hwa Chung
U.S.S. Peary 226	Am.	—
U.S.S. Pillsbury	Am.	—
U.S.S. Pope 225	Am.	—
Lipari	Ital.	C.I.N.
Romolo	Ital.	V. Chieri
Chingning M.	Jap.	T.K.K.
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Otome M.	Jap.	K.U.K.
Tejo	Port.	I.C.R.N.
Hilda	Ital.	Lloyd T.
Yunyang M.	Jap	T.K.K.
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Men-of-War in Port

Name	Flag	Type	Berthed
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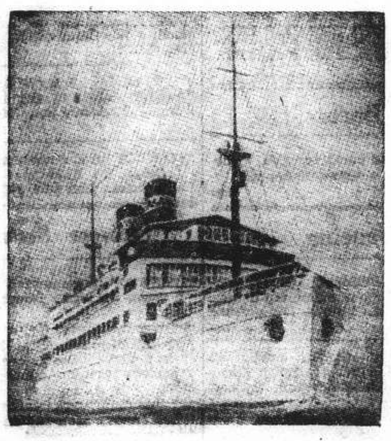
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Soviets to Uphold Balkans Status

Lithuania Submitting To Moscow Demands as Turkish Parleys Drag

London, Oct. 6.

Official circles in Belgrade learn that Russia considers the preservation of the *status quo* in the Balkans an indispensable condition for the security of the Black Sea, according to a broadcast from a Yugoslavian wireless station.

Tightening her grip on the Baltic States, Soviet Russia has signed a pact of mutual assistance with Latvia. This development comes exactly a week after the conclusion of a simliar pact between Russia and Esthonia, under which Estonia grants Russia the right to establish naval and air bases, and to station garrisons totalling 25,000 troops, on Esthonian soil.

The terms of the Soviet-Latvian pact have not been divulged, but it is reported that Latvia has agreed to grant Russia the privilege of establishing a naval base in two Latvian ports.

Lithuania Also Submits

Meanwhile, the Lithuanian Government is reported to be resolved, in principle, to accept the Soviet proposals for considerably increased trade between the two countries transit on the Romny-Vilna-Libau railway, and the return, ethnographically, of the Lithuanian part of the Vilna district.

The agreement reached between Germany and Soviet Russia on the status of Eastern Europe is a "very important historical landmark," according to an article in the "Pravda" quoted in a broadcast from Moscow. The agreement, the "Pravda" is said to have added, is a logical outcome of the Soviet-German pact of non-aggression, and shows that Russia and Germany can collaborate to mutual advantage despite different political systems.—Reuter.

Soviet Air Bases in Lithuania

Kaunas, Oct. 5.

The grant of sites for two military air bases was demanded of Lithuania by Soviet Russia, well informed quarters declared today.—Havas.

New Soviet Envoy in Rome

Rome, Oct. 5.

The Soviet Government, according to press reports from Moscow, intends to appoint M. Garelkin, official in the Foreign Commissariat as the new Soviet Ambassador to Italy. He is to replace M. Boris Stein, who returned to the U.S.S.R. several months ago.—Havas.

Turkish Parleys Continue

Moscow, Oct. 6.

Competent circles here doubted today that M. Sukru Saracoglu, the Turkish Foreign Minister, had promised Russia that Turkey would remain neutral even though Russia and Italy should enter the war. They believed the Soviets are willing to accept the neutralization of the Dardanelles and a pact of mutual assistance which would not be inconsistent with Turkey's obligations to England and France.

M. Saracoglu received new instructions from his Government on Wednesday and conferred with the Soviet Foreign Commissar, M. Viacheslav Molotov, and the British Ambassador in Moscow yesterday. He also visited the French Charge d'Affaires in Moscow. The result of these conferences has not yet been revealed.—United Press.

Chile Tries to Divert Commerce from Europe

"Pan-American Conference Manifestation of Solidarity"

Santiago de Chile, Oct. 5.

Chile had for some time been preparing to switch her commerce, "a large part of which has been with European countries, especially with belligerents," to American countries, declared Senor Hector Mujica, Acting Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in a nationwide broadcast today.

Outlining Chilean policy, Senor Mujica said the fact that Chile and the United States intended to negotiate a trade pact, was the "chief result" thus far. A pact had been considered for some time, he added, but "the European war has speeded matters up." "We expect the most advantageous results for our national economy from the treaty under consideration, and we expect it to be followed by others with the rest of American countries."

Speaking in the name of his Government, the Chilean Under-Secretary emphasized that the results of the Pan-American Conference had shown that American solidarity was "not a mere formula, but has its roots deep in the governments and peoples of this Continent."—Reuter.

64 Japanese Planes Said Demolished

Chungking, Oct. 6.

In the raid on the Japanese aerodrome at Hankow carried out by Chinese planes on October 3, 24 Japanese machines on the ground were destroyed and more than 40 aircraft damaged, according to Chinese sources.

One hundred and thirty pilots of the ground crew are stated to have been killed, while 300 of them are said to have been wounded.

Two Japanese aeroplanes which took off to engage the raiders, the Chinese quarters claim, were shot down by the Chinese.—Reuter.

Anti-British Agitation Against Missions

Peiping, Oct. 6.

The anti-British movement in Peiping has led to the closing of two British mission schools. A local Chinese newspaper says that the schools were forced to close because anti-British agitation resulted in most of the students seeking entry into other schools.

The movement against British missions elsewhere in North China is believed to have caused the closing of nearly every mission station in the provinces of Hopei and Shansi and in north Honan.—Reuter.

New Central Chinese "Government"

Nature of Administration Present Difficulties

Peiping, Oct. 6.

There is little likelihood of the Japanese-occupied parts of China having a new central government by October 10, the anniversary of the founding of the Chinese Republic, according to well-informed Chinese political quarters here.

It is learned that Mr. Wang Ching-wei, the "Provisional Government" in North China, and the "Reformed Government in Nanking are still far from agreement in regard to the composition and nature of the proposed administration.

This lack of unity is stated to be causing the Japanese some anxiety. The mouthpiece of the Japanese Army here announces that the leaders of the "Provisional" and "Reformed Governments" will see Mr. Wang Ching-wei again soon to discuss the establishment of a new régime.

It is understood that the "Provisional Government, while willing to accept the authority of the government planned by Mr. Wang, insists on retaining its separate entity and its authority north of the Yellow River.—Reuter.

Hitler Thanks German Troops in Poland

Imposing Retinue Attends Review in Warsaw

Berlin, Oct. 6.

"In unshakeable confidence the nation again looks to its armed forces and its leaders," declares Herr Hitler in an Order of the Day thanking the forces which participated in the Polish campaign for "protecting the Reich against a Polish attack" in a "combat in keeping with the best traditions of German soldiery."

"Under banners fluttering in proud joy everywhere in Germany," he adds, "we stand together more closely than ever, and are tightening our helmet bands. I know that you are ready for everything in your faith in Germany."—Reuter.

Imposing Review in Warsaw

London, Oct. 5.

Herr Hitler arrived at Warsaw today and reviewed the troops who participated in the conquest of the city, according to an official German wireless broadcast. The German Chancellor was attended on his way to Warsaw by an imposing retinue.

In addition to his personal and military aides-de-camp, he was accompanied by General Keitel, head of the Supreme Command of the armed forces; Herr Heinrich Himmler, chief of the German Secret Police; Dr. H. H. Lammers, Chief of the Chancellery, and Herr Otto Dietrich.

On the Reichsfuehrer's arrival at the airport, he was greeted by General Walther von Brauchitsch, Commander-in-Chief of the German Army, and five other Generals.—Reuter.

Soya Bean Trade Hit By European War

Manchoukuo Seek Transport Means Through Russia

Tokyo, Oct. 6.

Because of difficulties caused by the European war in sending soya beans to Germany and Italy by sea exporters are inquiring from the Soviet Government regarding the possibility of transporting soya beans to the axis countries by the Trans-Siberian Railway, according to Japanese reports from Changchun.

Soya beans are the staple product of Manchoukuo and Germany and Italy are the two best buyers.

Exports of soya beans, cakes and oils from Manchoukuo during the past year reached the aggregate totals of 22,909,000 tons, 1,071,000 tons, and 60,000 respectively.

Compared with figures for the corresponding period in the previous year, the exports of soya beans decreased 93,000 tons and exports of oils decreased 1,000 tons. Export of beans cakes, however, increased 226,000 tons.—Reuter.

Naval Officer Succeeds Ad. Nomura at School

Tokyo, Oct. 6.

Admiral Katsunoshin Yamanashi, I.J.N.R., today took over the post of president of the aristocratic Peers' School, where Crown Prince Akihito Tsugunomiya will begin his studies next year. The position had been temporarily occupied by Viscount Kintomo Mushakoji following the resignation of Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura who became Foreign Minister.—Domei.

Class 20-22 in Britain Must Register

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London, Oct 5.

All male British subjects between the ages of 20 and 22 residing in Great Britain on October 1, who, according to a proclamation by the King, are liable to be called up for service in the armed forces of the Crown, will be required to register on Saturday, October, 21, it is stated here today. It is estimated that 240,000 men will be affected.—Reuter.

Food May Be Rationed In Britain

London, Oct. 5.

Food ration cards were expected today to be placed in circulation at the end of October, for informed quarters declared by November 1, butter, margarine, fats, sugar, meat, ham would be rationed. Tea, however, would remain open to free purchase although instead of the various blends now obtainable, a uniform blend would be substituted.—Havas.

THE Institut Technique Franco-Chinois is being converted into a vocational middle school by the Ministry of Education of the Chinese National Government in Chungking, says a report from that city to the "Shun Pao." The Ministry is now arranging for the transfer of students from the Institute to other Government technical schools to continue their studies, the report concludes.

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STENO-typist, knowledge local dialect, operate switchboard. Experienced applicants only. Box 2929, NCDN. -5181

WANTED typist or stenographer, knowledge of Chinese essential. State experience, salary expected Address Box 2954, NCDN. -5249

WANTED, European artist for manufacturing export articles (Kunstgewerbe). Offers in English or German to Box 2792, NCDN. -4930

WANTED immediately, teacher of English subjects, well-known high school. State education, references. Box 2921, NCDN. -5164

WANTED, reliable compradore with good connections to take charge of sales of local products now stocked in all department stores and pharmacies. Salary and commission. Must furnish cash guarantee of $10,000. Apply stating full particulars of experience and references to Box 2924, NCDN. 11710

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BRITISH subject, 18, with knowledge of bookkeeping, seeks beginner's position. Some remuneration. Address Box 2936, NCDN. -5210

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YOUNG lady, Russian, six years experience, in stenographic and secretarial work, seeks position. Address Box 2950, NCDN. -5232

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YOUNG Austrian refugee, university and commercial academy graduate, speaking English, French and German, seeks position in commercial firm. Excellent references. Address Box 2874, NCDN. -5062

LADY, perfect dressmaker, speaking English, French, German, seeks employment as saleslady. Box 2905, NCDN. -5142

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CAPITAL to invest in profitable business or manufacturing enterprise. Please address Box 2942, NCDN. -5221

WANTED serious representations for raw, semi-finished and finished products of all kinds, especially chemicals for technical and pharmaceutical applications. First-class references available. Address Box 2910, NCDN. -5180

Lost

LOST/missing. September 23. Dairen Maru, from Tsingtao to Shanghai, missing one black straw suite case (handle torn off), with dirty white canvas cover, tag marked Mrs. B. E. Carter, finder call office Cathay Mansions. Reward. -5251

LOST, Passbook No. 2504 issued by Chekiang Industrial Bank to Lotte Sara Frischer. Hereby declared null and void. -5168

Radios

WANTED to buy motor-car radio, any make, in good condition. Please state price to Box 2957, NCDN. -5256

FOR SALE, 1935 Zenith ten-tube radio, all wave. Good condition. What offers? Telephone 12091 Saturday afternoon or Sunday. 11717

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FRENCH by qualified gentleman-teacher, special method for beginners; speaking, writing within short period. Box 2938, NCDN. -5212

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PIANIST, refugee, gives lessons. Also plays at parties and clubs. Classical and dances. Box 2947, NCDN. -5228

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PIANO lessons by Miss Wincia Tomaszewska. Apply 3-5 p.m. 818B Avenue Joffre, Telephone 71695. -4864

PAINTING, drawing, sculpture lessons by M. A. Kitchiguin. Daily exhibition. For information, apply from 5-7 p.m., 10 Avenue Dubail, Bearn Apartment. -4162

WELL-educated, experienced young Russian lady teacher, speaking perfect English, wishes to give Russian lessons. Telephone 75611, Room 3, from 8.30-10 a.m., 5-6.30. -5030

COMPLETE Commercial Course, shorthand (Gregg/Pitman), typewriting, bookkeeping, correspondence, etc. Evening shorthand speed dictation. Special English class for beginners. Individual attention. Moderate fees. Apply Mrs. Sweeney, Steno-Typist Academy, 173/301 Seymour Road. -4677

CHAMBER music lessons to pianists given by Erdensohn, expert violin-artist. Apply from 11-12 noon, 7 Kelmscott Gardens, Avenue Roi Albert. -5171

FRENCH, Italian, Spanish, English, German lessons given by experienced Berlitz teacher. Moderate fees, success guaranteed. Address Box 2907, NCDN. -5140

FRENCH and German lessons given by experienced gentleman teacher. Twice weekly, $15 per month. 2 Quinsan Gardens, Room 1. Apply from 8—9 a.m. or by letter. -4435

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FRENCH gentleman desires to meet Chinese lady of good family for companionship and lessons in Shanghai dialect. Address Box 2940, NCDN. -5215

RUSSIAN gentleman, 37, wishes meet lonely lady, non-speaking Russian, for companionship. Address Box 2937, NCDN. -5211

YOUNG, educated Chinese lady wishes to meet refined foreign gentleman for companionship. Reply Box 2926, NCDN. -5275

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WANTED to purchase, second-hand typewriters. State make, size and price. Offers Box 2970, NCDN. -5278

WANTED to purchase, one piano. State price and make. Box 2967, NCDN. -5272

REFRIGERATOR wanted. Must be modern and perfect. State brand, price, style. Address Box 2813, NCDN. -4966

SINGER sewing machine. Must be in excellent condition. Apply stating price. Box 2770, NCDN. 11609

WANTED to purchase, one second-hand piano. Willing to pay best price. Address Box 2833, NCDN. -5009

WANTED to purchase famous German pianos. Will pay good price. Address Box 2812, NCDN. -4965

WANT to buy piano and gramophone. Apply to Mr. M. Hahashi, 387 Woosung Road, Telephone 45654. 11366

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FRIGIDAIRE for hire, 7 cu. ft. All porcelain, $25 monthly. For terms address Box 2893, NCDN. 11668

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